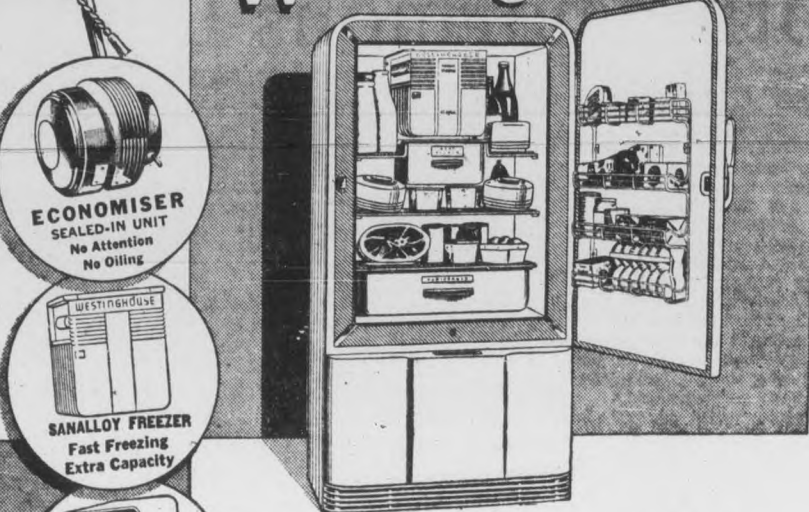


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Women's Canadian Club, Empress Hotel, Tuesday, April 22, 2.45 p.m. Speaker, Dr. Joseph P. Junza. Subject, "Germany's New Order in Europe." Soloist, Miss Ruth Bawtenheimer.

Hollywood Agog Over Great Wedding

900 Guests Will See Deanna Wed Tonight

HOLLYWOOD (AP)—Deanna Durbin from Canada (Winnipeg), a quiet girl herself, will have a glamorous wedding tonight, with 900 guests.

"This is my first romance," she remarked when she and Vaughn Paul, 25-year-old studio executive, obtained their marriage license. "And I hope it is going to be my last."

The golden-voiced film singer of 19 will be married at 8.30 p.m. in Wilshire Methodist Episcopal Church by the pastor, Rev. Dr. Willie Martin. The double ring ceremony will be used.

To the smallest detail, strict rules of the big church wedding will be followed. Bridesmaids, ushers and attendants will be in formal dress.

The wedding will be one of the rare glamour ceremonies of late years in this town. Most actors and actresses have dashed to a nearby town—often Arizona's Gretna Green at Yuma—been married in civil ceremony, and rushed back to work.

Deanna and the only sweetheart she ever had will take a month's honeymoon. Hoping to avoid the curious, they did not say where.

Then they will live in a Hollywood apartment until they build

a one-story English cottage in nearby Brentwood.

ALL TRADITIONS

The 19-year-old Deanna will follow all the wedding traditions. She's wearing something old, something new, and something blue. She's having her wedding gown fitted and she's shooting photographers away, because it's supposed to be bad luck for the bride to be seen in her veil before the big moment.

After the wedding she will hold a reception at the Beverly Wilshire Hotel, because that's traditional, too, and then she and the 25-year-old groom will take a honeymoon which will last until May 15, when she must start recording for her next picture.

Miss Durbin has received so many wedding gifts, from friends and fans alike, that it likely will take weeks before she even sees them all.

Police fear that control of the crowds in front of the church will be a problem. They estimate that at least 10,000 will jam heavily-traveled Wilshire boulevard in hope of getting a peek at the bride. Forty men from the Los Angeles force will establish lines around the canopy, while more from the Universal City police force will watch the doors for gate crashers. The police lines aren't going to be half a block away, either. They'll be close to the front entrance, on Miss Durbin's specific orders. She figures that if people take enough trouble to stand around for hours waiting to see her, they deserve to do exactly that.

"HE WAS POLITE"

Miss Durbin first met Paul in 1936 when she was 14 years old. She was one of the "Three Smart Girls." It was her first picture. Paul was the second assistant director—and the only person on the set who treated her as if she really were an actress. He didn't say "Hey, you." He was polite. She thought he was swell.

As picture after picture reached the screen with Miss Durbin as star, young Paul gradually worked himself up the ladder, too, becoming first assistant director, and finally an associate producer. Two years ago he and Miss Durbin decided maybe it was love. They began going to

gether and neither had a date with anybody else.

LONDON INTERESTED

NEW YORK (CP)—Out of a London still smoking from its heaviest air raid there came today the following request from the Associated Press of Great Britain, addressed to its New York office:

"Need 200 up Deanna Durbin wedding, 100 in advance now. What time ceremony, please?"

The message meant that British editors, confronted at home with one of the most momentous stories in the history of London, wanted no less than 200 words on the ceremony itself and 100 words in advance.

New, Deadliest Missiles Smash Nazi Buildings

R.A.F. Gives Berlin Its Heaviest Bombing

LONDON (CP)—The Air Ministry today announced the Royal Air Force's raid on Berlin last night was the heaviest attack of the war on the German capital.

"Very powerful bombs" burst across targets in the heart of the enemy city, doing "very substantial damage," the communiqué said.

Herbert Morrison, Minister of Home Security, earlier had told London defence workers that the bombs dropped on Berlin included some of the new highly explosive type which the Royal Air Force only recently put into use.

New Short-Stirling Bombers Effective

Mr. Morrison said some of the new type high explosives were carried to Berlin by new four-motored Short-Stirling bombers, which are capable of carrying several tons of bombs and reputedly are the most powerful in use by any air force in the world.

Details of the Short-Stirling air secret, but it is known to have a long range, high speed and particularly strong defence weapons. It has been used heretofore, in attacks on German-occupied territory.

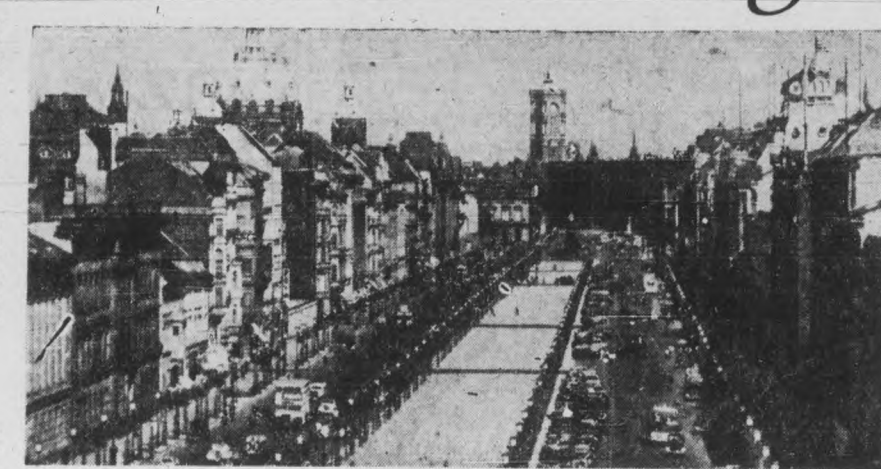
The Air Ministry said eight British planes were lost in the fiery overnight assault.

Many Fires Set By Incendiaries

The ministry's communiqué said that when the raid began "fires immediately broke out."

"The attack was pressed home," it added, "and many bursts were seen across the targets."

Other night raids were made



BRITISH FLIERS PAY IMPRESSIVE CALL—Along the famous Unter den Linden in Berlin (above) Royal Air Force, using its mightiest bombers, last night dropped its new super-bombs. The Prussian State Library, damaged in the big April 9 raid, was again hit.

on Rotterdam, in the Nazi-occupied Netherlands, the German industrial city of Cologne and a number of other places in north-west Germany.

Daylight assaults were carried out yesterday on Cherbourg, France, and widespread forays were made against German shipping, with one ship damaged and probably sunk and another blown up in port.

Super-bombs For First Time

Mr. Morrison said the "super-bombs" dropped on Berlin last night were the first of that kind used against the Nazi capital.

The new bombs, he said, were

seen to burst in the centre of the city.

"Unlike the Nazis," he said, "we make no hysterical noises about reprisals. We have our plans. They will be carried out. Berlin was bombed according to plan."

"Let Hitler understand that we have as much right to bomb Berlin as he has to bomb London."

State Library Damaged Again

BERLIN (AP)—"Stronger forces" of the Royal Air Force than ever before used against Berlin penetrated the barrage belt to the centre of the German capital last night in a bombing attack.

Nazi sources said the Prussian State Library, already undergoing repairs as a result of the R.A.F. raid on the night of April 9, again was damaged. Three other "public buildings" and "about 10 apartment houses" were damaged, the high command said, seeking to minimize casualties.

"Despite the warning which the German air force made the night before last by a tremendous retaliatory attack on London, stronger forces again penetrated as far as Berlin's outer anti-aircraft barrage," said the daily communiqué, adding that "single planes succeeded in pushing through the fire belt to the city's centre."

health as she and the Duke disembarked. They paused on a platform and the Duke waved to a crowd of more than 2,000.

STALIN DESIRES WAR IN PACIFIC

VANCOUVER (CP)—Hugh Byas, for many years Tokyo correspondent of The London Times and New York Times, said in an interview here today he thought Stalin would like nothing better than to see Japan and the United States at war in the Pacific. Mr. Byas arrived recently from the Orient.

"Just as the pact between Germany and Russia was the precursor of war in Europe, so does Stalin hope his new pact with Japan will be the signal for war in the Pacific," he said.

The majority of people in but if the army and navy leaders wanted war they would get it. "Singapore," he said, "is the key to the Pacific problem. It is like a policeman at the crossroads, barring Japan's southward

bombers, all armored and marked with R.A.F. insignia and representing a total value of \$4,750,000, are expected to take off.

The pilots are quartered in three Tacoma hotels. Each morning a private bus picks them up and transports them to McChord, where they are instructed by U.S. air corps pilots.

WINDSORS PLAN CANADA VISIT

PALM BEACH, Fla. (AP)—The Duke of Windsor said in an interview here today he hoped to visit his ranch near High River, Alta., next fall. He has not been in Canada since 1927, when he was Prince of Wales. Before that he visited Canada in 1919 and 1924.

Here with the Duchess on a business trip from the Bahamas, the Duke said the projected visit to his "E.P." ranch would be in the nature of a late summer or early fall visit. He added the international situation made the visit problematic because of the uncertainty of transportation.

(Speaking to the Canadian Club in London in 1922, the Duke, then the Prince of Wales, said that "I always feel that my small ranch in Alberta is to me a great link with Canada and that it is an assurance that I shall return here some day.")

It was disclosed other London landmarks bombed in recent raids included the City Temple, a Congregational church; the Chelsea Old Church; Guy's Hospital; Chelsea Royal Hospital, which is the historic home in Chelsea for pensioners of the Crimean, Boer and First Great Wars; Christie's noted art auction centre, and Selfridge's department store, in Oxford Street.

The Duke and Duchess, making their second visit to the United States together, arrived at Miami this morning aboard the steamer Berkshire from Nassau. From the dock they went to downtown Miami, where British Vice-Consul L. A. Oates said the Duchess would visit a physician for a general check-up.

The Duchess appeared in good

Defence Additions Greeted

U.S.-made Bombers Reach Singapore

SINGAPORE (AP)—American-made patrol bombers—the same as the latest additions to the U.S. navy—roared in here today after a trans-Pacific flight.

They were greeted by squadrons of Royal Air Force pilots in Brewster-Buffalo fighters which, authorities announced, were in the air within 24 hours of their uncrating.

American-built Lockheed Hudsons also roared seaward and met the big patrol bombers completing their voyage across the south China sea to join British and Australian patrols charged with keeping the Empire's eastern sealanes clear.

Arrival of these two-motored planes at Singapore, apparently

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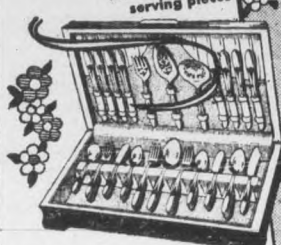
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Nazis Lose 50,000 Men In Greece

German Dead Piled High

(Edward Kennedy, for six years as Associated Press correspondent in Europe and Africa, went to Greece when the British expeditionary force moved in just before the German invasion. He had been in north Africa almost a year before that covering the British-Italian fighting in Egypt and Libya.)

By EDWARD KENNEDY

WITH BRITISH FORCES ON THE GREEK WARFRONT (Delayed A.P.) — German forces smashing ceaselessly at the Greek and British defence line have suffered enormous losses—some estimates placing the number of their dead in the Greek invasion at 50,000.

But although Nazi bodies are piled high, Hitler's high command continues to send seemingly inexhaustible divisions of powerfully-armed men into the assault.

Column after column of German troops, supported by dive-bombers, is being hurled against the Greek-British defence lines.

The situation is serious but not hopeless, military authorities said.

For the past six days, British, Australian and New Zealand troops have met incessant attacks along the Mount Olympus line (east flank of the defence barrier) and when I left there at noon today (Thursday) they still were holding.

To the west, the Germans had made some inroads from Grevena against Greeks fighting with inadequate equipment. I was told steps had been taken to prevent this drive from cutting off the British force from behind.

Large troop movements were going on behind the front as the Allies sought to bolster defence positions and rectify the lines if necessary. German prisoners were being brought back in trucks.

Germans Have Many More Planes

German numerical superiority in the air is even greater than on the ground. Myriads of dive-bombers constantly harassing the defenders apparently constitute the German solution of the problem presented by the reduced efficiency of mechanized divisions in mountainous country.

At Larisa, already wrecked by an earthquake and abandoned by the civil population, I saw 40 planes swoop low again and again, first bombing and then machine-gunning.

Larisa today is a ghastly parody of a city.

A famous British Hussar regiment resisted to the last round in a pass.

"After a tank attack, the Germans sent their infantry up the hill four deep," an officer told me. "We mowed down the first three rows, but ran out of bullets when the fourth came."

Welcome News of Raid On Berlin

Battered London Cheered

By LOUIS HUNTER

LONDON (CP)—Proud London today carried on the grim task of shaking the dust of the most wanton air bombardment of the war and was cheered by screaming newspaper headlines: "R.A.F. Hits Back at Berlin."

Thousands of rescue workers, fire-fighters and other civil defence personnel continued the seemingly impossible undertaking of healing the wicked wounds in the body of the great sprawling metropolis. It will be a long time before some of the wounds inflicted in the indiscriminate, incessant bombing are mended.

ing the streets, delaying pedestrians bound to and coming from work, and necessitating the re-routing of buses.

Here and there heaps of ruins were still smouldering. Bedraggled men, women and children, poked the debris of their homes in an attempt to recover belongings.

There were grimmer and more pathetic sights where 100 rescue workers still were fine-combing the ruins of a four-story block of apartments in one London working class district. The bodies of two men and two women had been recovered. Seven of 11 persons removed from the debris are alive.

A dog barking in the debris attracted the attention of rescuers, who found the animal beside the body of its master.

A search continued among the wreckage of another block of

Tons of Debris Clutter Streets

London made a quick recovery from the raid, but there were still tons upon tons of debris from smashed buildings clutter-

workers' flats for victims still trapped. The death toll is expected to be heavy. A number of dead was found and others injured were rescued within a few hours and the search went on ceaselessly.

A woman rescued after being trapped for nine hours in a ruined shelter where 20 persons still were trapped said: "We never thought any of us would get out alive. Through the long hours of waiting I comforted those who were alive by moistening their lips with orange juice. I could hear the flames over us."

170 Feeding Centres For Homeless

Emergency services have been able to deal with the feeding of the homeless. About 170 feeding centres operated today, serving thousands of meals, and many cooks in these centres deprived of gas turned out field kitchens rigged up temporarily.

Fleets of buses, including 500 extra vehicles, mobilized while the attack was at its peak, took a load from the interrupted rail services, avoiding damaged streets where civil defence workers were still dealing with the havoc. A great many streets are closed.

Prime Minister and Mrs. Churchill toured battered west end areas and were cheered by workers who clapped and shouted: "Are we downhearted? No!"

Waving his stick at the wreckage, the Prime Minister told auxiliary fire service men: "You seem to be doing a pretty good job here, too."

U.S. Cuts Output Of Motor Cars

WASHINGTON (AP)—The automobile industry of the United States has agreed to a 20 per cent reduction in the output of cars for the model year beginning August 1.

The reduction will amount to approximately 1,000,000 cars, William S. Knudsen, director of the Office of Production Management, said.

He called in leaders of the industry and requested the move in order to make available more manpower, materials, facilities and management for the defence program.

Questions of the agreement's effect on automobile prices were raised immediately and officials of the office of price control said study had been given to prices, costs and profit relations in the industry.

Output of motor vehicles for 1941 had been estimated at 5,200,000 and a 20 per cent reduction of that figure would place the limit for next year at 4,160,000.

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British Naval Base Hit

Nazis Bomb Portsmouth

PORTSMOUTH, Eng. (CP)—German planes bombed this important south coast naval base for several hours last night.

A procession of raiders took part in the attack, which was the heaviest of the night in Britain. The German planes began coming over shortly after dark and kept up the assault for several hours.

CASUALTIES LIGHT

High explosives did damage in various parts of the city, but authorities said casualties were remarkably light.

One heavy high explosive bomb crashed into a church hall from which many persons had hastened to safer shelter just a few minutes previously.

The only casualty in this incident was an air raid precautions warden. He was picked up, seri-

ously hurt, on the edge of a bomb crater which was rapidly filling with water.

Houses were wrecked in many sections of the city, trapping residents under debris.

FORCED TO SEA

At the height of the attack the raiders, in the light of their own flares, dived through low clouds to empty their bomb racks, but a persistent and heavy anti-aircraft barrage forced some of them out to sea, where they were attacked by British fighter planes.

Besides the tons of bombs dropped on the city, others showered the surrounding countryside.

Two German night raiders were reported downed, bringing to 66 the total British defences have destroyed in the last 18 nights.

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In the last provincial election five years ago 132,000 voters were eligible and the valid vote cast was slightly more than 76,000. These votes were distributed through a series of 17 counts before the 10 members of the Legislative Assembly were declared elected three days after the polls closed.

Mr. McArthur estimated that after Tuesday's voting probably more than 20 counts will be needed. Under proportional representation one of the voters' second, third, fourth, fifth choices, or even lower choices, may help elect a member. Most voters list their choices at least from one to 10, but others fill out the complete list of candidates which is 27 in this election compared with 21 in 1936. A ballot is invalid if it is marked with an "X."

Winnipeg is the only Manitoba constituency using the proportional representation system. In rural ridings the single transferable count is used.

Horses getting too little vitamin A develop night blindness and other symptoms.

Willkie Asks Seattle Bishop to Apologize

SEATTLE (AP)—The Seattle Post-Intelligencer today published a telegram signed by Wendell L. Willkie declaring he had asked the Most Rev. Gerald Shaughnessy to apologize for an Easter Sunday address.

Bishop Shaughnessy of the diocese of Seattle included in his address this statement:

"Recently we witnessed an exciting national campaign and election in which specific statements were made and most solemn pledges given to our country, supposedly on the word of honor of a Christian gentleman."

"But a few days ago, when this person, whose later action belied his promises, was taxed with his own words, he lightly dismissed the subject with the revealing words: 'that was but campaign oratory.'"

"Lying is thus enthroned before us as a public good and a means to which, apparently, our leaders, or would-be leaders, may resort with impunity."

PERSONAL ATTACK

Willkie's telegram to the newspaper said he had wired to the Bishop this statement:

"I understand that by implication you made a personal attack on me in your Easter sermon. Will you kindly point out to me where it was I spoke of any pledge I had ever made as campaign oratory? If you cannot find it, will you not please issue a public apology?"

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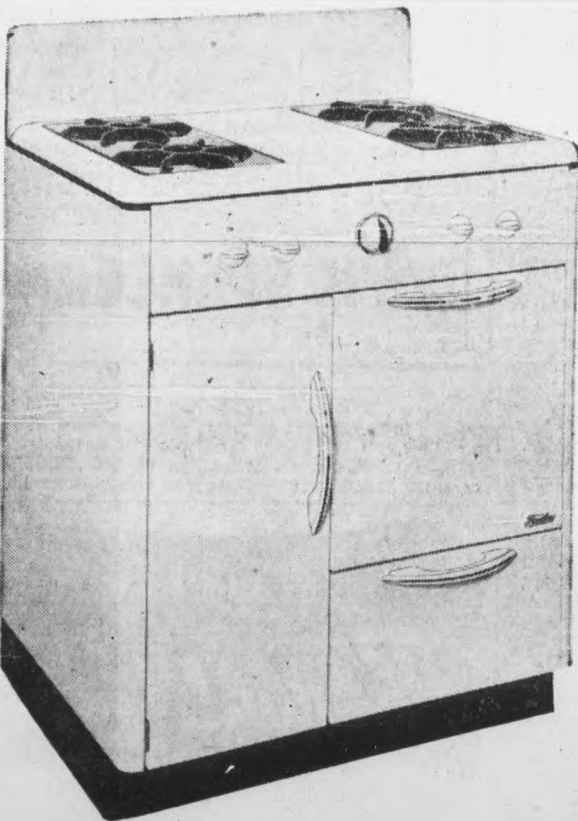
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Berlin — and Rome?

RT. HON. HERBERT MORRISON, MINISTER OF HOME SECURITY, has told the best story about the Royal Air Force's super raid on Berlin last night. He indulges in no merely-mouthed references to ethics or morals, makes no allowance for the susceptibilities of those who would turn the cheek to the men who fly Goering's Luftwaffe. "Unlike the Nazis," he says, "we make no hysterical noises about reprisals; we have our plans; they will be carried out; Berlin was bombed according to plan." Finally: "Let Hitler understand that we have as much right to bomb Berlin as he has to bomb London." Mr. Morrison also intimated that Britain's "super-bombs" were down on last night's bill of fare for the Nazi capital; and "the attack was pressed home." In other words, if the totalitarian oligarchy wants war from the skies on the grand scale, the R.A.F. is evidently ready to oblige; the men of Berlin can give any name to it they may feel disposed.

Another announcement comes from the British government—issued at 10 Downing Street—which today says that a "systematic bombing of Rome" will commence if either Athens or Cairo should be attacked from the air by Axis planes. Coupled with this is the most telling warning yet to emerge from the Prime Minister's office. This says the Italians were prepared to drop "captured British bombs upon Vatican City" if Rome should be raided by British machines. It then adds: Once the bombing of Rome starts "it will continue as convenient to the end of the war." But the greatest care will be taken not to bomb Vatican City. It will be recalled, incidentally, that as long ago as last November 8, Mr. Richard Butler, Under-Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, announced in the House of Commons that Britain would "reserve full liberty of action in regard to Rome" in view of the fact that the Italians had then just boasted of having taken part in the daily and nightly bombings of London. John Bull, in other words, has taken off his gloves and rolled up his sleeves!

What Is the Difference?

DR. W. G. BLACK TOLD THE BRITISH Columbia Parent-Teacher Federation at the Empress Hotel the other night that two big jobs confront us in Canada today: "The first is to smash Hitlerism—not to beat the German people, but to smash Hitlerism—and the second is to build for the future." Both first and second objectives are self-evident. The qualification about the German people demands considerably more than cursory examination.

Two systems of government are in conflict. All decent and freedom-loving people believe the fundamentals of democracy are sound, and that when some of its visible blemishes—social and economic—have been removed, it will work better and more beneficially than ever before. Nor was it the business of other people to interfere with the system of National Socialism as originally practiced in Germany; indeed, Hitler himself at the beginning of his dictatorship announced his intention of living up to all the international commitments entered into by his predecessors, by those who had operated under the Constitution of Weimar. But the head of the new oligarchy soon revealed his true purpose; he inaugurated his program of "guns before butter" about which an intelligent populace could not have been in the least doubt.

The German people, and especially those who were in swaddling clothes during the first Great War, those born during its progress or immediately after the Armistice, accepted the philosophy of "Mein Kampf." It would not be true, of course, to suggest there were no opponents of totalitarianism in its earliest manifestations; a substantial volume of liberal thought survived its first two or three years. But an ostensibly inarticulate minority either disappeared into the concentration camps or accepted the "new order" with a complacency in no wise remarkable in a folk traditionally accustomed to regimentation. However, when 67,000,000 Germans knew that troops of the Reich had marched across the great Hohenzollern bridge at Cologne into the demilitarized Rhineland five years ago last month, they knew Adolf Hitler had torn up the Locarno pacts he had pledged to observe, and they knew he had nailed up the timetable of "Mein Kampf." They knew they were heading for war; they knew Mr. Churchill knew the latest budget for Nazi armaments accounted for nearly \$4,000,000,000. Despite the "blood purge" of 1934, despite the growing authority of Heinrich Himmler and his Gestapo, organization of some visible and effective protest against Hitler's policy might have been feasible even among a less imaginative folk than the Germans—if the will had existed. But this and other progressive steps toward the inevitable met with no practical opposition.

Who are the German people now, then, but a people completely Hitlerized—a people largely made up of those who were trained from the cradle on everything National Socialism connotes, who accepted it

in their most impressionable years, or who absorbed it with varying degrees of resignation? These are some of the qualifications that should be taken into consideration in any comparison of the German people as a whole and the Hitlerism, or totalitarianism, which Dr. Black and all decent citizens agree must be smashed and smashed decisively.

Money Still Talks

FOR THE BENEFIT OF THOSE SKEPTICS who are still burning the midnight oil to establish arguments that Canada's war effort has not yet gone beyond a "middle-of-the-road" policy, the Financial Post has just published a simple graph which shows how the Dominion's direct war expenditure at this stage compares with the years of 1915 to 1919, inclusive. Here are the figures: 1915, \$60,500,000; 1916, \$166,200,000; 1917, \$306,500,000; 1918, \$343,800,000; 1919, \$446,500,000—the official statistics.

By the end of March 31, 1940, after seven months of war, Canada's expenditure for direct military purposes reached \$131,500,000, or more than twice as much as spent in nine months a quarter of a century ago when the nature of the conflict required a much greater use of manpower in the battle areas; by the end of March, 1941, the direct war spending total stood at approximately \$875,000,000; but for the year ending March 31, 1942, the minimum amount of money Canadians will spend on their share of the Empire's cause will be \$1,450,000,000—and very likely a good deal more. In other words, Canada's direct war budget in the single year ahead, as the Financial Post explains, will surpass by something like \$22,000,000 the nation's total war outlay through 1914-1919; and this is apart altogether from Canada's financial aid to Great Britain.

Not a few of the government's critics remained silent when a former regime at Ottawa between 1930 and 1935 systematically cut down the nation's annual budgetary appropriations for defence; and one or two of them never tired of accusing the present administration of "spendthrift zeal" as it began to rectify some of the more glaring defence shortcomings of its predecessor. These were the same Canadian newspapers that pooh-poohed Mr. Churchill and his warnings during 1936 and 1939—the newspapers which applauded appeasement and Mr. Chamberlain's "peace with honor."

Ousting the Swastika

TWO THINGS HAVE HAPPENED WITHIN a week in Mexico which may be illuminating: First, the Diario de la Guerra, a newspaper in German which expounded the Axis side of the war, has been "temporarily suspended," and second, the Colegio Alemán, most important German school in Mexico, has closed its classes. Both were prolific sources of German propaganda in Mexico. In neither case was there any apparent pressure from the Mexican government. What is more likely is that withdrawal of their business by United States firms from German agencies in Mexico has reduced the ability of the local German community to support such activities. It takes money to run newspapers and schools, and much of the money in the hands of Germans in Mexico until recently came from American firms for whose products they had become agents. The Washington government has recently been discouraging this practice, and it is more than possible that the pinch has already been felt.

Notes

The debunking of Il Duce will be complete when it is discovered that those trains that arrive on time are yesterday's.

Things are breaking so rapidly the war talker has to change tenses in midstream—as in "Italy has a nice fleet, didn't it?"

High-spirited boys in the services, homeward bound late at night, are reported to have smashed windows in a freight service depot and in a Douglas Street department store. There are reports of other high jinks resulting in damage to property. Military and naval police patrol the streets of Victoria and their presence discourages exuberance on the part of men in uniform. Some happenings suggest that the number of service police on duty might with advantage be increased during the night hours after the dances, shows, canteens and beer halls close.

'EVERY REASON TO HELP'

From Today's New York Times

Prime Minister Mackenzie King of Canada is always a welcome visitor in the United States. This is especially so at a time when Canada stands in the front line of the war against Hitlerism. It is fortunate for Canada and for us that Mr. King and Mr. Roosevelt are close friends and have many views in common.

Out of the informal conferences held in Washington may emerge further agreements to deal with urgent problems. One of these is the need for safeguarding our aid to Britain in transit over the Atlantic ship lanes, and here it has been suggested that removal of the port of Halifax from the list of combat areas which American ships may not enter would ease the strain on British shipping. There are other questions, one of them financial, for Canada is said to be running short of dollar exchange. Here again there should be no difficulty. . . . Normally she has obtained accommodation loans here, when necessary. There is every reason to help a good customer who is also a good friend and an ally in a great world struggle.

Parallel Thoughts

And when ye will offer a sacrifice of thanksgiving unto the Lord, offer it at your will.—Leviticus 22:29.

I am glad that he thanks God for everything.—Samuel Johnson.

Bruce Hutchison

THE FARMER

THE FARMER STOOPEd down and picked up a handful of earth from beside the road, and rubbed the earth between his thumb and finger. "Not a speck of grit in it," he said. "Thirty feet it goes down, this black muck. Best land in the world."

I looked around at the best land in the world. Out to the remote horizon stretched the Regina plains, flat, empty, dark—no blade of grass growing yet, no sign of growth. A few houses stood out sharp against the sky and some unpainted barns. The farmer waved his hands towards these other farms. All these farmers, all of them but him, were on relief and had been for years. That is all the best land in the world had been able to do for them.

The farmer let the earth run through his fingers and gazed out over his fields with the narrow, wrinkled eyes of a man who has faced blizzards all winter and dust all summer. "This year," he said, "she didn't freeze. The land ought to be froze now, down deep. That's where we get our moisture. Now there's no moisture down there." He shrugged. For nine years he harvested no crop and when the rain came back a couple of years ago there was no market for his wheat.

Still, he had done better than his neighbors. They were all on relief and he had kept his head above water somehow, paid his taxes and farmed his land. He had done it mostly by raising chickens but he said he couldn't last out much longer. He pointed to a house a mile down the road. There, he said, a woman and her two daughters had one pair of shoes between them. It was common in this region for the children to stay home from school because they had no shoes or clothes. He mentioned that casually, as if it were not remarkable on the best land in the world.

A PROBLEM THEY CALL IT

WHEN I TOLD HIM I had come from Ottawa he spread his ragged sweater coat on the running board of an old truck so that we could sit down and talk. He wanted to talk about Ottawa. He wanted to hear how people thought in Ottawa—how they could do what they have done to the prairies, to the best land in the world.

"See that tractor there?" he said. "It's 12 years old but somehow I keep her running. Got to. I couldn't farm this section of land any other way. Well, I broke a bull pinion the other day. You wouldn't know what that is, but it cost me \$25. I could have got it for \$10 just south of here, across the line. Well, \$25 is about 50 bushels of wheat—two, three acres of it. That's what the tariff does to me."

For years I had listened to them argue about the tariff in Ottawa; listened to them talk about the Wheat Problem in figures and ciphers and statistics, until it had become a vast abstract puzzle, an impersonal sum in mathematics. But here, by this dirt roadside, was the tariff and the Wheat Problem in reality. Here was a man who worked harder than any laborer in the factories of Ontario and was still on the edge of relief. Here was a man who had to plow, seed and reap two or three acres to pay for a small tractor part when he could have bought it for a fraction of the price on the other side of the border and the tariff wall.

Seventy cents a bushel—for a limited number of bushels—Canada has guaranteed this farmer, and thinks it has treated him handsomely. He laughed bitterly. Down in Ontario, he said, they have protected every industry that springs up, maintained its high prices by tariff, made the farmer pay them—and then they wonder why Canada couldn't sell its grain even before the war began, why the farmer couldn't make any money when he had to pay such prices for everything he had to buy.

THEY TALK

THE EAST, he said, talked a lot about the farmer. He'd read it in the papers. "But the east doesn't give a damn whether we get by or not. So long as we buy their stuff, what do they care? And right now they're selling so much to the government for the war, they don't care if we don't buy. They've forgotten that the west made Canada. They've forgotten that if we can't buy their stuff in normal times, the east is broke."

All this was true. This vast sweep of flat land between the Lakes and the Mountains has always been the greatest single fact of Canadian life, the largest producer of wealth, on which we have all lived. Yes, we have lived well on it. But the men who tilled the soil, who sowed the grain and reaped it under the hot prairie sun, are poor today. Many of them have lost their farms and live on them only until the mortgage holders can find someone else to take them over. Others have moved north into the new bush country. Some have come to British Columbia, where we have regarded them almost as aliens and no responsibility of ours. Down in Ottawa, well-fed politicians from Ontario, fat with tariffs and protection, have talked loftily about the Wheat Problem, talked learnedly in figures and statistics and economic theory, and gone home to their rich dinners in the Chateau. And neither they nor the Canadian people at large have ever seen or understood or felt the Wheat Problem—the problem not of figures and statistics but of ragged men in unpainted houses, and children without shoes, and broken machinery, and artificial prices for manufactured goods, and wheat piled up, unsold, in every barn and elevator.

The farmer picked up another handful of the rich dirt by the roadside and ground it between his fingers. It's the best land in the world, he said.

A bus is what there are no seats in these days when it is coming back from where you are going.

Duel



Elmore Philpott

WHITHER FRANCE?

IT IS AN APPALLING FACT—but nevertheless a fact—that the government of France is being drawn into the Nazi New Order to an ever-increasing extent. As one critic has described the emerging policy of France it is "all aid to Germany short of war."

On the very day when the aged Marshal Pétain was telling the world that honor forbade France from making any warlike moves against her former ally, Britain, one of his cabinet colleagues was plainly stating in Paris that it was to be hoped that the Germans would speedily expel the British forces from Yugoslavia and Greece.

There is, of course, a whole world of difference between the attitude of the ordinary people of France and of the Vichy government. Only last week Paris authorities took action against no less than 6,000 landlords and tenants of buildings displaying slogans of Free France. Teen-age French youngsters are slipping out of France in large numbers, and making their way into the army of General de Gaulle. But meanwhile the remaining French means of resistance to Germany are being seized by Germany or sold to Germany. Nazi officials literally swarm in North Africa and in Syria. That fact constitutes a real and quickly growing threat to our whole Mediterranean position.

SYRIA NEXT?

Large numbers of Nazi "tourists" are reliably reported to be arriving in Syria, via the air route. As in the case of the troops which passed through Tunis to Libya, these are unarmed. But whereas the Nazi divisions now threatening Egypt had to ship their armaments by sea (the indications are that Hitler's "tourists" expect to get their arms stuff from the French authorities in Syria).

At the time of the military defeat and moral betrayal of France Syria was the base for the large and well-equipped French army of the Near East. France retains in Syria but a skeleton force. Large supplies of arms are still there.

Unless all signs fail, Syria is

We, the Pacific and War

From Vancouver News-Herald

A good deal has been said these last few days about the necessity for plain speaking. If we are really in the mood for sober consideration of bad news then it is proper to comment to all Canadians, the words of Acting Premier Arthur W. Fadden of Australia.

Mr. Fadden has been telling the Australian people that if Britain suffers serious reverses in the Balkans, Australia must expect trouble in the Pacific. He also takes a rather grave view of the new Russian-Japanese neutrality agreement.

What Mr. Fadden has to say is confirmed in another column by a dispatch from our Washington correspondents Joseph Alsop and Robert Kintner. They contend that the United States State Department has been gravely mis-

the next object of Nazi intrigue plus disguised military penetration. Turkey is the next-intended victim on the Nazi list. The geographical position of Syria is such that its looming importance is self-evident.

Britain, of course, has large defence forces on both sides of the Suez Canal. But the recent diplomatic success of the Axis agents in Iraq, plus developments in Syria, plus developments in Libya indicate that the stage is almost set for the decisive act of the great Suez drama.

As long as Turkey blocks the path one road to the Suez is kept safely closed. But Turkey's position daily becomes more uncomfortable, not only in front, but in the rear.

THEY FAILED FRANCE

The real tragedy of Vichy's increasingly sordid relationship with Germany is in the betrayal of all that was great and vital in the tradition of France. It is no disgrace to be beaten in battle, and to accept the consequences of such defeat. France could have made a purely military surrender, as Norway, Poland, Holland, and even Belgium did—yielding only to force wherever superior force applied.

The men of Vichy attempted to do otherwise—partly because their appraisal of the military situation was woefully wrong; and partly because some of them were anti-democrats, pro-dictators at heart.

Weygand's famous blunder of June, 1940, that "England will be beaten in three weeks," will stand forever as one of the most monumental errors in judgment ever made by a military expert—let alone one reared in the very heart of the Foch school of strategy. Perhaps history will class as even a greater blunder the failure of Weygand to use his position in North Africa to administer to Italy the finishing blow. Instead of that he not only missed his chance, but permitted the Nazis to take over supplies in North Africa to win back from the British those gains that might have been, to a greater leader, France's golden opportunity for salvation.

France, of course, will rise again. But, before she does, she will have to overthrow a whole class of traitors.

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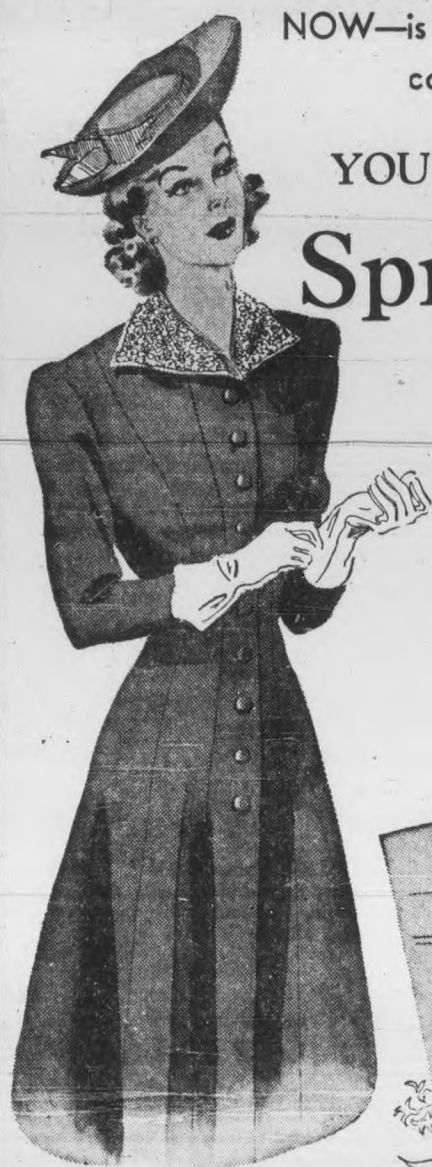
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LONDON (CP)—Cries of "one egg," or "one bacon and egg," drifted back into the bustling little kitchen where a grey-haired woman, her kindly face flushed by the heat from her over-taxed stove, struggled to keep pace with the increasing demands.

The woman at the stove was Mrs. W. A. McAdam of Victoria, wife of British Columbia's acting Agent-General, who has been serving for months as "short-order" chef for men of the forces who crowd into the basement canteen of B.C. House on Lower Regent Street. And she plans to continue "until this whole mess is over."

In the front section of the green-tinted room, divided by a short partition into "dining-room" and kitchen, a score of men in Allied uniforms sat eating a half-dozen different kinds of food and talking in as many languages. They all demanded the food to which they were accustomed.

FREE FRENCH GUESTS

"When the Free French first came here," explained Mrs. McAdam, "they went in a big way for bacon and eggs." But now they are back to their traditional breakfast of rolls and black coffee.

"Our own boys, of course, order what they were used to in Canada and we do our best to satisfy them, though it is very difficult these days when rationing is so strict."

Mrs. McAdam, whose 21-year-old son, Kenneth, is in a Canadian Forestry unit, did her best to answer questions and at the same time drop more eggs in her sizzling pan, stir a huge pot of bubbling applesauce and shift the lid of another big pot to permit steam to escape.

"Egg and bacon three times," came that raucous voice through the slot between the kitchen and front counter. "Make it four."

MARINES HELPFUL

"The marines are grand and so helpful," said the chef, resuming her story. "They are handy, too, and can do almost anything."

"He wants his eggs turned over!"

"As I was saying they can do almost anything. And you should see..."

"He wants his mashed potatoes fried... he wants boiled potatoes... are the sausages ready yet... he wants two eggs..."

"Well, he can't have two eggs," interrupted one of the women standing nearby. "Doesn't he know there's a war on?"

Mrs. McAdam smiled wanly, heaved a sigh and with the back of the hand in which she held a long-pronged fork, soothed her perspiring forehead.

"This will give you a fairly good idea of what it is like around here," she suggested.

"It's hard work," conceded the Canadian who was born in Duncan, B.C., and who has lived in London 18 years. "But someone has to do it. So we all just dig in and do our bit."

And she waved her fork to indicate the group of sober-faced women, some Canadian, Australian, French, English and even American.

Knitted 1,000 Caps For Scottish

At the meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary to the Canadian Scottish Regiment at Government House on Wednesday afternoon, Mrs. Leslie Macdonell, the president, in the chair, thanks were expressed to the friends who made the 1,000 knitted skull caps needed by the troops.

Murray packed and shipped 1,015 woolen comforts to Camp Debert during February, March and April, and in March the auxiliary spent \$158.98 for wool, it was reported.

Such undertakings make a big inroad on the funds of the W.A. and it is to ensure the continuance of this worthwhile war work that the Gift House contest was started.

Mrs. R. D. Harvey and Mrs. T. H. Flavelle of this city, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Farmer were the attendants. A reception was held after the ceremony for immediate friends and relations.

A vote of thanks was passed to Messrs. D. A. McDonald and R. C. Field for their kindness in auditing the W.A. books.

The King's Daughters have completed all arrangements for the farewell talk which will be held in the rooms, Hibben-Bone Building, on Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. A. M. Perry, district president, is general convener. Tea will be served. The Speedwell Circle will sell candy; L. H. Hardie Circle, plants and flowers.



BACK FROM HONEYMOON—Mr. and Mrs. Norman Davies, who were married at St. Matthias Church on April 10. The bride was the former Evelyn Todd.

Social and Personal

His Excellency the Governor-General and H.R.H. Princess Alice, with their daughter, Lady May Abel Smith, and members of the vice-regal party were guests of honor at a dinner given by Col. and Mrs. H. S. Tobin at "Grey Gables," Vancouver, on Wednesday evening.

Last night Mrs. Austin Taylor entertained at a ladies' dinner at "Shannon" for Princess Alice, and the Earl of Athlone was guest at a private dinner at the Vancouver Club. His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor and Mrs. Hamner, who are in Vancouver for the visit there of the vice-regal party, will return to Government House next Monday.

Mrs. E. M. Jackson, the Empress Hotel, left last night for a short visit in Calgary.

Mrs. W. F. Proctor, 1513 Elford Street, left on Tuesday for Toronto to visit her son, Mr. Donald Proctor.

Miss Valerie Ellwood, Grande Prairie, Alta., is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Ellwood, Ivychess, Metchosis.

Miss Ellen Pendray and Miss Mildred Jones, who have been visiting at Harrison Hot Springs for a few days, have returned to Victoria.

Miss Anne Mallock, of Vancouver, has returned home after a short visit with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Alan George, View Royal.

Mr. George Patterson of Grande Prairie, Alta., is visiting on the coast for the holidays, and is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Ellwood, Metchosis.

Mrs. J. Figueiredo of Courtenay, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. J. MacGillivray, Michigan Street, has returned to her home up the island.

Lieut. and Mrs. James A. Macdonell have returned from their honeymoon trip to Flying U Ranch, Cariboo, and are visiting Mrs. Macdonell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Ruggles, Royal Terrace.

Members of the Lake Hill Recreation Centre held a dinner Tuesday evening at the Mayfair Cafe to mark the closing of the season. During the evening Miss Mona Butts, instructress, was presented with an engraved silver bracelet with very good wishes of all the members. Those invited were Mesdames Jobling, J. Williams, R. Noble, J. Noble, J. Noble, A. Hemming, V. Donovan, A. Ricketts, J. Campbell, P. McInty, W. Parker, Bonnell, Oliver, M. Greenwood, A. Mawle, E. Drysdale, and The Misses Jean Howell, Edna Barker, Phyllis and Edna Dawkins.

At the home of Miss June Sweeting, Cook Street, the girls of the Coal and Petroleum Control Board and Public Utilities Commission of the provincial government, entertained last night at a cup and saucer shower in honor of one of their members, Miss May Jamieson, whose marriage to Cpl. William Rose, R.C.O.C., will take place on May 2. The gifts were hidden throughout the house, and a treasure hunt on the part of the bride-elect produced many lovely gifts.

Those present were Mrs. L. J. Glassford, Misses Dorothy Hood, Ella Monk, Rosa Stone, Opal Abercrombie, Evelyn Druce, Pearl Anderson and Mary Noakes.

In honor of her sister, Mrs. R. Angus of Summerland, Mrs. Marjorie Hansen entertained at the tea hour this afternoon at her home on Richmond Road and was assisted by her mother, Mrs. Forrest Angus, who presided at the tea table.

Mrs. W. A. Pugh and Mrs. J. E. Pugh were joint hostesses at a recent combination linen and grocery shower in honor of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Pugh, the former Dolly McCoy. Games of the mid-way were played, prize winners being: First, Miss Edna Pugh and Mr. Ernie McMillan, and consolations, Miss Peggy McCoy and Mr. W. A. Pugh. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Pugh, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Pugh, Mr. and Mrs. M. J. McCoy, Mr. and Mrs. F. Hamilton, Mr. and Mrs. J. Court, Mr. and Mrs. W. Haines, Mr. and Mrs. J. Roberts, Mr. and Mrs. R. Tait, Mr. and Mrs. D. Bourne, Mr. and Mrs. W. McCoy, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Bond, Mr. and Mrs. P. Atkinson, Mr. and Mrs. E. McMillan, Mr. and Mrs. O. Bond, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Harwood, Mr. and Mrs. R. Peters, Mr. and Mrs. L. Wooster, Misses Edna McCoy, Peggy McCoy, Edna Pugh, Alice Burnfield, Irene Tait, Carol Bond, Phyllis Harwood and Doreen Barron, Mr. Jack Court, Master Freddie Wooster and Billy McMillan.

Miss Marjorie Dodswoth entertained at a linen shower at her home, 1745 Lee Avenue, last night, in compliment to Miss Gwen Williams, who is to be married shortly. The guest of honor received a corsage bouquet of pink carnations and mauve sweet peas and later was presented with a hatbox, decorated in pink and mauve, topped with a miniature bride and containing the many dainty gifts. Games were played and a buffet supper was served later by the hostess, who was assisted by Mrs. C. Webster, Mrs. M. Williams Jr., and Miss Gwen Dodswoth. The supper table, covered with a lace cloth, was centred with a lovely centerpiece of mauve and pink tulips in a silver basket and lighted by pink tapers in silver holders. Mrs. Boughey and Mrs. J. Thomson presided. The guests were Mesdames Milton Williams Sr., Boughey, M. Williams Jr., J. Thomson, F. Rough, F. Dodswoth, R. B. Mathews, R. D. Travis, C. Webster, F. Stokes, G. Ford, A. Atherton and Misses Winnie Elliott, Kitty Cave, Betty Cottet, Gwen Dodswoth, Joyce Finch and Margery Tindall.

A merry birthday party was held at 1728 Cook Street in honor of Diane Graham, who was three years old on April 13. The rooms were decorated with lilac and apple blossoms. Refreshments were served from a table centred with a birthday cake and each little guest received a basket of candy. The afternoon was spent playing games and singing. Thorval Gray, Beverly and George Balfour favored the guests by singing "There'll Always Be an England," and Diane recited several nursery rhymes. The invited guests were Mrs. F. Pindlay, Mrs. J. Graham, Mrs. H. Laycock, Mrs. C. Carter, Mrs. J. Ross, Mrs. A. Walter, Mrs. Kelway and Danny Boy, Mrs. Balfour, Beverly, George and Jack, Mrs. Underwood, Barbara Jean and Lorretta, Mrs. Williams, Tommy and Kenny, Mrs. Thomas and Yvonne, Mrs. J. Fredette and Louise and Mrs. F. Fredette and Francis, Mrs. Musselman and

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Of interest in Victoria was the quiet wedding which took place in the United Memorial Church, Halifax, N.S., on Saturday, April 5, when Rev. J. B. C. Fraser united in marriage Muriel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry James Reading of England, and Albert Bernard Shirley, R.C.N., son of James E. Shirley and the late Mrs. Shirley of Sheffield, Yorks, England. The organist played the wedding music.

The bride was given in marriage by Philip Bourque, R.C.N., and was attired in a Churchill blue silk crepe dress, with Queen's blue hat and accessories, and a corsage bouquet of tea roses. She was attended by Miss Helen Gaston, wearing a crushed pink ensemble with navy blue accessories and a corsage bouquet of red roses. Holland Sheppard, R.C.N., was best man.

After the ceremony a small reception was held. Mr. and Mrs. Shirley will make their home at North Street, Halifax.

Engagements

FROST—FAICKNEY

The engagement is announced of Bessie Murray, second daughter of Mrs. J. Faickney, 908 Gorge Road West, and the late Francis M. Faickney, to Nathan Samuel, second son of Mr. and Mrs. W. Frost, North Vancouver. The wedding will take place quietly on May 15 at St. Martin's-in-the-Field at 8.30 p.m.

Jeanne, Mrs. Teskie and Jimmie, Mrs. Hunt and Yvonne, Mrs. Rivers and Lee, Mrs. E. Leggett and Jimmie, Mrs. H. Leggett and Maureen, Mrs. Gay and Derek, Thorval Gray and Iona Findlay.

A few friends gathered at the home of Mrs. H. F. Hamersley, 1987 Crescent Road, yesterday afternoon to meet Miss Mary Munn, the noted pianist, and Miss Effie Mann, who have been spending some time completing preparations for the memorial sonata recital Miss Munn will give with Miss Selma Reyes on Monday evening. Rose tulips, blue hyacinths and roses from the garden were used in the drawing room, and in the dining-room, where tea was served, wall-flowers made a colorful and fragrant decoration. A delightful program included the playing by Miss Munn of the Chopin Nocturne in D Flat and the Prelude in F, and Myra Hess' arrangement of the Bach chorale prelude, "Jesu, Joy of Man's Desiring."

Miss Mann sang selections from the Rimsky-Korsakov opera, "The Snow Maiden" and Puccini's "Madame Butterfly."

Miss Munn wore the gown of green liberty satin, in which she played at the command performance at Buckingham Palace for the King's aunts, Princess Marie Louise and Princess Helena Victoria.

Children Present Musical Recital

At the home of Miss D. Moore, 1485 Fort Street, on Thursday afternoon, 12 junior music pupils entertained their parents to a varied program in a bower of spring flowers. The program consisted of songs, piano solos and duets, the young people being quite at ease and announcing their own numbers. The program was as follows: Piano solos, Phyllis Harwood, Bob Canova, John Canova, Mary Dryburgh, Claire Cardiff, Jack Cardiff, Bobby Maule, Virginia Erikson, Joan Semple, Andre Lindsay, Alfred Hughes; piano duets, Bob and John Canova, Claire and Jack Cardiff, Phyllis Harwood and D. Moore.

Songs which very much delighted the audience sung by Alvin Hardy were "Land of Hope and Glory," "The Navy's Here" and "The Nightingale in Berkeley Square," the latter accompanied by Bob Canova. Andre Lindsay, aged five, who had already played a piano solo, pleased the audience with a recitation, "The Canary."

The musicale ended with the singing of "There'll Always Be an England," solo taken by Alvin Hardy and chorus by Bob and John Canova, Joan Semple in a red, white and blue costume holding a Union Jack standing at back above the boys, after which followed the National Anthem. Refreshments were then served.

Those helping were Alice Strickland, Phyllis Harwood, Mary Dryburgh, Virginia Erikson and Claire Cardiff.

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Concord Club members and their friends enjoyed an Easter-time dance, with a popular three-piece orchestra, last night at the Crystal Garden.

The "Swingettes," a trio of Jean Sinclair, Netta Hunter and Edna Ford, added a novel feature to the evening's program with their vocal renditions of "Perfidia," "High On a Windy Hill" and "The Wise Old Owl." Accompanying them was Ted Shadbolt at the piano.

Other entertaining numbers included a tap dance by eight pupils of Miss Florence Clough's dance academy. An encore brought Theresa Perkins, Kay Burns and Velda Wille out on the floor again with another snappy tap presentation. Mrs. Ruth Harrison and Bob Iverson of the club's social committee were in charge of the evening's entertainment.



EASTER BRIDAL—Mr. Jack Edward Clark and his bride, the former Laura Severs, who were married at St. Alban's Church at Easter.

Clubwomen's News

The Women's Association of the Garden City United Church will hold a tea and sale of work at the church, April 23, at 3.

The Esquimalt Community Club will hold a court whist card game tomorrow evening at 8 at Bowling Hall, Esquimalt Road, with silverware for all prizes.

Native Daughters of B.C., Post No. 3, will hold their monthly social at the home of Mrs. E. E. Corbett, 1045 Deal Street, Wednesday evening at 8.

The ladies of the Open Door Spiritualist Church will hold a silver tea in the hall, 714 Cormorant Street, Saturday afternoon, from 2.30 till 5. Mrs. Swan and Mrs. Sweeney will be hostesses for the day. There will be tea and card readers.

On Wednesday evening the Comitas Club met at the home of Miss Isabel Routledge. Final arrangements were made for the annual bridge-tee on Saturday. Members present were: Mrs. Harold Johns, Mrs. R. C. Newby, and the Misses Verna Beek, Kitty Cave, Mary George, Patricia and Geraldine Holden, Barbara Leigh, Rene McHutchon and Isabel Routledge.

The social meeting of St. Saviour's Evening Branch of the Women's Auxiliary was held at the home of Mrs. Mary Pattison, Pine Street, Wednesday evening. Woolen garments were accepted for the Red Cross. The members were reminded of the card party at the home of Mrs. K. Roach, 7 Alderman Road, Thursday, April 24. Mrs. D. Hughes won the contest, the proceeds of which will be used to supply prizes for the card party. Games were played and refreshments were served. Mrs. Pattison was assisted by Mrs. D. Bradshaw.

A quarter of a century ago in this city Miss Margaret Straith, R.N., now Mrs. Glen Fuller, newly graduated and ambitious for service in the foreign field, was commissioned by the Woman's Missionary Society of the Presbyterian Church in Canada for that work and has spent the intervening years in China. Mrs. Fuller is at present residing in Victoria and will be the special speaker at the Easter thank-offering luncheon of the Woman's Missionary Society of First United Church at 1 o'clock on Monday next. It is anticipated that attending the luncheon will be several especially interested as they were present at Mrs. Fuller's designation.

Municipal Chapter, I.O.E.E., met yesterday afternoon at headquarters, the regent, Mrs. K. C. Symons, in the chair. Mrs. William Ellis and Mrs. R. B. McKicking were re-elected honorary regent and vice-regent, respectively. It was reported that the members' part in the Auxiliary Service campaign had been satisfactory. Mrs. Symons having acted as major of the group of canvassers. The members were asked to attend service in their own churches on St. George's Day, April 23. Arrangements were made for the Empire Day service and the Empire Day luncheon. The annual intercession service will be held on June 1, the Florence Nightingale Chapter in charge of arrangements. Nominations for committee conveners were received. Mrs. Symons was appointed war work convener in place of Mrs. J. L. Gates, who has held that office for the past two years. The meeting adjourned to reconvene prior to the next general meeting on May 22, in the evening. It was reported that 783 comforts, valued at \$545.45, were received, and during the past two months 62,550 magazines were sent to local forts.

Girl Conductors of London Cheerful

LONDON CP)—Girl conductors of London buses are familiarly called "Clippies," for they clip or punch the tickets. One day Ellen Sayers, the writer, boarded a bus and asked how much her ticket would be to New Oxford Street. "Three ha'pennies and no extra charge for the tour around the battlefields," said the "clippie," with a smile. Miss Sayers tells of it in her "London's Unsung Heroines." At the next corner an old and nervous-looking lady climbed on. Anti-aircraft fire brightened the sky. The "clippie" paused beside her and said: "Don't worry, the show's free. Ypres to the left—the Marne to the right—but this bus goes right to the end of the line."

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St. Mary's branch held a business meeting on Tuesday. The president reminded members to hold their telephone socials some time within the next week. The branch is to entertain men of the forces on Sunday, May 4. The committee in charge are Margaret Greenway, Jean Emberton, Marjorie Page, Lucille MacKay, Jack Sutton and Francis Robinson. A committee was appointed to take charge of the country fair to be held June 4. Those appointed were Mary Williams, Alma Cook, Janet Henderson, Florence Greenway, Jim Robinson, Fred Burd and Francis Robinson. The president read a letter from the Dominion Council asking the branch to "adopt" children and supply them with the "Sunday School by Post" and it was decided to adopt five children, the members present hand-

ing in enough money at the meeting to cover the expense for this. Next week's meeting will be a discussion night. The subject will be "Reconstruction of the Church."

About Atmosphere
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'Amazed How Many Make Good'

John Howard Group's Work Increases, Need More Money

The excellent work done in the Greater Victoria area last year among young men released from prison and a number of single unemployed was outlined last night at the annual meeting of the John Howard Society at the Y.M.C.A.

The election of officers resulted as follows: President, Rev. Bryce H. Wallace; vice-president, Rev. Fred Comley; H. G. Wyatt, secretary; and Mrs. W. E. M. Mitchell, case worker; members of the executive, Miss Dorothy Yates, Miss E. Smallwood, Mrs. E. Philpott, Rev. George Biddle, M. A. Arnold, Joseph McKenna, Dr. D. M. Baillie and J. H. Hinton.

In presenting the financial report, Mr. Wyatt said more money was going to be needed this year, because of increased calls on the society's services.

The society passed a resolution urging attention of the Dominion government to the promise of Minister of Justice LaPointe, who said last autumn a three-man committee would be appointed to supervise Canada's penal system.

WORK INCREASED
Work of the society was considerably increased during the year, Mrs. W. E. M. Mitchell, case worker, showed in her comprehensive report.

"The chief work of the society was dealing with those who have been in prison," she said, "but during the last year we were given \$300 a year extra to deal with single unemployed. Many people have the idea unemployment is no longer with us, owing to increased war production and the opportunity to join the fighting services."

Actually, the demand is for skilled labor, for which the majority of our men are not qualified, never having had the opportunity to learn a trade.

Mrs. Mitchell said the society last year was faced with the problem of those waiting to get into the forces and those who have been discharged. In 1940 the society had more than 800 visits, as compared with 500 the year before. The society, she said, dealt with a class of men no other agency, except the Salvation Army, was able to help.

"These men are not eligible for relief as they are transients and wander from one end of Canada to the other, in search of work," Mrs. Mitchell said. "The history of many of these lads is one of hunger, sickness and despair. While a few are men who have done time in prisons and penitentiaries of Canada and the United States, the majority are young boys well equipped, mentally and physically, to take their place in society, were such a place open to them. Many have been picked up for vagrancy, riding freights, begging—nearly all who come to us are without money, food, shelter or clothing. We do not give them money but try to provide shelter and food for a few days, so that a boy may have a chance to look around for work—though often when work is found their troubles are not over. The next question is how to eat until pay-day comes. The facts are that in most places men are paid only at the end of two weeks. Our boys are, therefore, at a disadvantage to give their best, as they haven't the wherewithal to provide themselves with three meals a day in that first period of employment. Consequently, many boys in such a position are often compelled to throw up jobs, because they cannot work without eating."

MEDICAL CARE
Mrs. Mitchell told how the society had obtained medical advice and care for a number of very unwell young men. Many of the boys tried to join the fighting services, but were not fit enough to be accepted. A surprising number, she said, returned to the society to pay back what had been given them when they needed help.

"In all walks of life," she said, "there are people who will never make good; and when I consider the background of these boys I am amazed at how many do make good, if only given the opportunity."

She expressed the society's thanks to the Community Chest for a \$600 grant, which made the society's work possible. The Family Welfare Association allowed use of the clothing department and the social service index was of great help.

PREVENTION URGED
A valuable and thought-provoking talk was given by Mrs. Mary Nicholson, case worker for the Vancouver branch of the John Howard Society. She spoke on "Crime and Personality," and said that while there was no known cure for crime, prevention could cut it down considerably. "Social laws should be adjusted so as to take away the temptation that make crime possible," Mrs. Nicholson said.

"Herdling all criminals into a common penitentiary is similar to placing persons suffering from different diseases in the same hospital, and subjecting them to the same treatment," Mrs. Nicholson said. This was a mistake, she said, as each criminal varied greatly in mental outlook and should have different treatment.

25 Years Ago

APRIL 18, 1916

A very quiet wedding took place at the home of the bride's parents, when Effie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Couke, 540 David Street, and Mr. John W. Hammond, second son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Hammond, Work Street, were joined in marriage, Rev. A. S. Colwell, pastor of Centennial Methodist Church, officiating. Miss Thelma Lundahl was a dainty flower girl.

It was authoritatively stated in Washington today President Wilson had decided to break off diplomatic relations with Germany at once. It was reported he has decided to recall Ambassador Gerard without further exchange of views.

The Easter meeting of the Metropolitan Women's Missionary Society was held this week when Mrs. W. J. Pendray gave a talk on her recent trip to the Hawaiian Islands. Mrs. Downard and Mrs. Morton sang a duet and Mrs. Jesse Longfield gave a solo.

No. 9 Platoon, Vancouver Island Timber Wolves, held a dinner at the Dominion Hotel, Sgt. Brasier in the chair. Among those who attended were: Capt. E. P. Barton, commanding No. 3 Co.; Capt. Dexter and Lieutenants Ramsay and Cowan.

NANAIMO PIONEER
NANAIMO, B.C. (CP)—Funeral arrangements were made today for John Allison Sutton, 62-year-old Nanaimo pioneer and retired mine worker, who died at his home here Wednesday night. A native of Hilltop, New Bedford, England, he came to Nanaimo 51 years ago. Mrs. J. Graham of Victoria is a sister.

FAMILY WELFARE DIRECTORS MEET

E. H. Wilson, the new president of the Family Welfare Association of Greater Victoria, was in the chair at the meeting of the board of directors held this week.

The camp committee for the operation of the Fred Landsberg Sunshine Camp will be: Alderman W. H. Davies, chairman; John Goldie, E. H. Wilson, Magistrate Henry Hall, J. H. Frank, Mrs. Thorpe-Douglas, Miss Ogilvie, Mrs. F. D. Armstrong and Miss Alberta Creaser, Victorian Order of Nurses. Plans were already being drawn up for five parties of campers to be given a holiday this summer.

John Goldie and E. W. McMullen reported on the necessary renovations to be undertaken within Welfare House, in order to provide more adequate accommodation for the social agencies established there.

Rev. F. Comley, chairman of the case committee, reported that one meeting had been held during the month, at which 16 members had been present, in order to discuss plans and possible help for several families in which problems of health, mental illness, marital difficulties or illegitimacy had disrupted family life.

A report of the work for the month was given by Miss Dorothy Yates, general secretary, who stated that the staff had been active on 119 cases during the month, making 205 visits in the area of Greater Victoria, and had held 121 office interviews. A summary of the local public unemployment relief rates was given to the board with a statement as to how the F.W.A. was trying to help dependent families to become self supporting now that work was more plentiful.

The association was making every attempt to remove the barriers of ill-health and other causes which were preventing the bread-winners of some families from obtaining work. For families having difficulty in living on war allowances or reduced incomes, two booklets were available in the office, "Budgeting for the Soldier's Family," published by the Canadian Welfare Council, Ottawa, and "Food for Health in Peace and War," prepared by the Canadian Medical Association. It was also reported that the association had been helping several evacuated English families to work out some satisfactory plan for living in this country in spite of the fact that they were unable to secure funds from England.

TAX COLLECTIONS IN CITY \$618,844

Current tax collections in Victoria up to the half-way mark in April stood \$54,844 above those for the same period in 1940, figures compiled in the city assessor-collector's department disclosed.

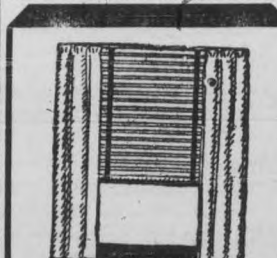
At April 15 the city had received \$618,178 through that channel. At the same date last year the total was \$563,334.

In the arrears division collections lagged \$9,762 behind last year owing, largely, to the fact the amount outstanding is far below that of 1940. The total collected for the year to April 15 was \$47,983 against \$57,745 in 1940.

Tiny Pony Mascot For Cadet Band

One of the miniature ponies owned by W. A. McIntosh of Duncan has been drafted for cadet service. The tiny, black horse, which stands little more than two feet at the shoulder, is to be taken to Victoria to act as mascot for the cadet corps band. The loan of the little horse was negotiated on Saturday by Capt. G. D. Sprot, Victoria, formerly of Somenos and Mill Bay.

Darwin estimated that earthworms on an acre of land would bring 10 tons of soil to the surface in a year.



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KINSMEN WORK IN WAR EFFORT

Representing 16 B.C. clubs, the Association of Kinsmen Clubs, District No. 5, elected Reginald Gould, Kamloops, district governor at the recent Chilliwack convention.

Bert Bailey, representing the Port Alberni club, was named deputy district governor. In working with the war effort committee of the National Association of Kinsmen Clubs to raise \$5,000 as its share of the war effort.

The convention was attended by 100 delegates, the Victoria club winning the Dr. Poyntz trophy for presenting the best skit at the meeting. The Kinsmen organization has shelved its usual activities in favor of war work and is busy collecting magazines and salvage material and supporting the "Bundles for Britain" campaign.

The Victoria club was represented at the delegation by Dr. A. Poyntz, past national president; A. W. Smith, past district

governor; W. Passmore, secretary; Hugh Francis, registrar; W. B. Dillabough and R. G. Shanks.

Roy D. Kerby, assistant to the president, General Motors of Canada, spoke to the members at last night's dinner meeting in Spencer's dining-room on the growing contribution which the Dominion automobile industry is making to the war effort. Mr. Kerby said that England could never have produced badly-needed mechanical vehicles without Canada's help, since Germany, during the last 8 years, had devoted her whole time to creating a mechanized army. He stated that in this war of machines manufacturers and engineers deserved backing from everyone.

Harold Winterburn was in the chair, and introduced the speaker.

WAR STAMP CONTEST
PORT ALBERNI (CP)—A contest staged among grade eight students of the Port Alberni elementary school to determine which team could promote the best sale of war savings stamps has ended with the sale of \$81.25 worth of stamps. The contest lasted three weeks.

The amount brought to \$220 the total stamps sold through efforts of school children here since last September.

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Letters to the Editor

FOR BIBLE IN SCHOOLS

Mr. Sanders in his letter on the "Bible in the Schools" mentioned the name of Mr. Charles Hadden Spurgeon among those who objected to Bible instruction being given to the pupils of our public schools.

May I make a few quotations from "Morning and Evening Daily Meditations" written by his own pen.

Under the text heading of "Tell ye your children of it, and let your children tell their children, and their children another generation," Joel 1:3, he writes thus: "In this simple way a living testimony for truth is always to be kept alive in the land. This is our first duty; we are to begin at the family hearth. To teach our children is a personal duty; we cannot delegate it to Sunday school teachers, or other friendly aids. These can assist us, but cannot deliver us from the sacred obligation. Family religion is necessary for the nation, for the family itself, and for the Church of God."

"By a thousand plots 'idolatry' is covertly advancing in our land and one of the most effectual means of resisting its inroads is the instruction of children in the faith. May every house into which these exhortations shall come honor the Lord and receive His smile."

Mr. Spurgeon was director of the Stockwell Orphanage, accommodating 500 children. Many were taken from the slums of London and grew up to become honorable men and women of the nation, because they were given instruction in Holy Scripture under his protecting wings.

I judge this weighty evidence of this great man places discredit on the remaining witnesses not mentioned.

JOHN LAMB,
680 Colville Road.

'CONSPIRACY TO ENSLAVE'
The quotations in my previous letter of men occupying positions of responsibility in their respective countries were taken from a mass of evidence which should convince us that we are witnessing a carefully planned conspiracy to enslave mankind under a social order organized on the lines of Bolshevik Russia and Nazi Germany in which control over the economic structure and the armed forces are concentrated in the hands of the ruling hierarchy. I suggested to Mr. Christie that the matter is worth investigating.

Whatever illusions Mr. Christie may have about the Bolshevik regime, he should know that it has been more concerned with the liquidation of human life and freedom than with the liquidation of debt. Therefore, it is unlikely that such a regime would consider the Social Credit philosophy and technique for reform based on the essentially British concept of a functioning democracy in which the will of the people is supreme.

The introduction to the statutes of the Communist International states:

"... The Communist International guides and organizes the world-wide revolutionary movement of the proletariat... for the institution of the world-wide dictatorship of the proletariat, for the creation of a World Federation of Soviet Socialist Republics..."

Speaking in Copenhagen in June, 1931, Professor Arnold Toynbee told the Fourth Annual Conference of Institutions for the Scientific Study of International Relations (June 8-10, 1931):

"... If we are frank with ourselves, we shall admit that we are engaged on a deliberate and sustained and concentrated effort to impose limitations upon the sovereignty and the independence of the fifty or sixty local sovereign independent states which as present partition the habitable surface of the earth and divide the political allegiance of mankind."

"... I will merely repeat that we are present working, discreetly but with all our might, to wrest this mysterious political force called sovereignty out of the clutches of the local national states of our world. And all the time we are denying with our lips what we are doing with our hands..."

"Union Now" of which Arnold Toynbee is a staunch champion, advocates the formation of a "federation of democracies" under which control over finance (and therefore over every aspect of the economic lives of the peoples concerned), the armed forces and the rights of citizenship will be concentrated in an international authority. Thus the people of the nations in the union would be divested of all effective sovereignty, democracy would cease to exist, and the British Empire would be merged in an international totalitarian federation under a central authority.

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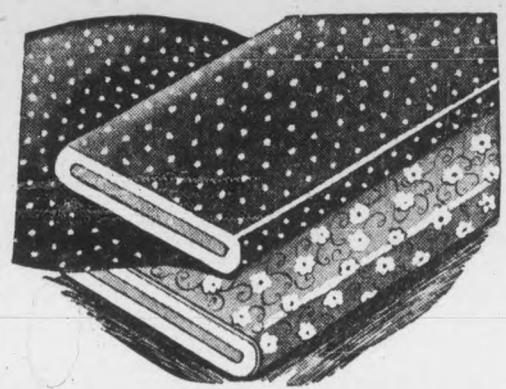


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Sports Mirror

By PETE SALLAWAY

TONE OF A NEWS ITEM out of Pittsburgh yesterday leads one to believe that Billy Conn may get the old run-around in his bid for a heavyweight championship bout with Joe Louis. Ever since the Pittsburgh boy came to the front two years ago, Mike Jacobs has been building him up for such a match. It has been hard work, but up to a short time ago the ballyhoo campaign seemed to be working smoothly.

But developments of the last few months have dropped so many challengers into Jacobs' lap that he has cooled off on the former light heavyweight champion. Conn and his manager reported ready to go to court to force the promoter to go through with the Louis bout. It seems that no matter how strong the cry of "monopoly" is heurled at Jacobs, the better off he is.

As things stand now, Jacobs has so many topnotch attractions that he doesn't know what to do with them. He wants all of them for New York, but will probably have to farm them out, because even Broadway can get too much in a fighting way. Now Jacobs is toying with the idea of putting Buddy Baer in with Louis in June. That is hard to understand. Baer has not done a single thing to prove he belongs in there with the champion. In the meantime, Conn, Nova and others get the run-around.

In Seattle, George Wilsman, well-known St. Louis fight man,

ager, visiting the sound city with his protegee, Allan Matthews, gave out the following interview on the recent Louis-Musto fight:

"Louis gave Musto a bad licking but he didn't look very good doing it. Joe missed a lot of punches aimed at a slow moving target whom he should have belted out in a couple of heats. Musto did most of the leading with Louis backing up looking for pot shots at Tony's chin. And Musto landed quite a few punches too. Two or three years ago, Musto wouldn't have been able to hit Joe with a hand full of shot."

"Louis was probably bothered by a bruised hand, but that doesn't explain his showing in general. Like all fighters, Joe has to start slipping sometime and it looks like he has passed his peak."

Wilsman also has seen Conn in action and likes Billy's chances very much. He said:

"Conn is a fast, game boxer and really thinks he can wallop Louis. I had a chat with him in St. Louis last week and he was extremely cocky and confident. Conn can take a punch well and I really don't think Louis can bother him. The longer a fight goes the better Conn gets. With Louis it is usually just the opposite. Joe seems to become worried when called upon to go the route. I wouldn't be at all surprised to see Billy believe Louis of the crown."

INTERCITY GOLF

The first half of the annual team match between Seattle Golf Club and Victoria Golf Club will be played at Oak Bay on May 19, instead of May 3, as previously announced. The second half will be played at Seattle on June 7.

Team Match at Gorge Course

On Sunday at the Gorge Vale Golf Club the annual president vs. captain team match play will be played. The event will be a straight match play and with two strong sides lined up the competition will be keen.

In the feature match President Dave Hurdle will play captain A. J. Maynard. Other members of their foursome will be O. H. Dorman and Jack Caddell.

Draw and starting times, with the president's team first named, follow:

7:45—E. B. Shiner and W. H. Hayward vs. W. B. Christopher and H. D. Mainwaring.
8:30—W. Ritchie and A. Clarke vs. J. G. Ritchie and D. J. Ritchie.
9:15—E. B. Shiner and A. Trickett vs. J. Walton and J. G. Thomson.
9:45—D. H. Hurdle and O. A. Trickett vs. J. Walton and J. G. Thomson.
10:30—G. Hurdle and A. Walton vs. V. Haines and G. Walton.
11:15—A. O. Cooke and G. Goy vs. C. Keown and A. Thompson.
12:00—E. B. Shiner and A. Clarke vs. J. G. Ritchie and D. J. Ritchie.
12:45—A. V. Cooper and A. Priestley vs. T. Barker and J. G. Buehler.
1:30—J. Allan and C. W. Palmer vs. A. Bigham and N. D. Hartnell.
2:15—G. E. Davies and Ian Wallace vs. G. Robertson and G. Peddie.
3:00—D. H. Hurdle and O. H. Dorman vs. A. J. Maynard and J. Caddell.
3:45—E. Barber and D. W. Spence vs. W. Marshall and A. Sheard.
4:30—L. C. Colton and A. B. Spaven vs. J. Dobbie and E. Betteide.
5:15—C. N. Huh and J. Davies vs. J. J. Kennedy and J. Cunningham.
6:00—Frank G. Wood and R. Martin vs. D. R. D. M. Hallie and R. F. Hinton vs. C. F. Barfield and T. Brindle.
6:45—S. McNeill and J. Petch vs. D. Houser and A. R. McLeod.
7:30—W. E. Cook and C. J. Robertson vs. M. H. Barry vs. A. H. Barry.
8:15—J. W. Smeater and F. L. Sasana vs. W. Davenport and Red Lawson.
9:00—R. Atkinson and Ken Cave vs. H. Morrison and C. Bent.

Cup Soccer on Tap Tomorrow

In one of the last two remaining games on the local soccer calendar Esquimalt and Saanich Thistles will clash tomorrow afternoon at the Athletic Park in a semifinal of the Jackson Cup series. The kickoff is set for 2:30.

Tomorrow's victor will go on against Victoria United Coast League club, in the cup final the following Saturday. That match will close out the season.

Esquimalt and the Thistles both play clean, fast soccer and tomorrow's game should be worth watching. The Dockers will be out to regain some lost prestige as a result of the 6-1 drubbing at the hands of Nanaimo last week-end.

Teams follow:

Esquimalt—DeCosta, Stofor, Mills, Holt, Barnswell, English, Thompson, Bell, Stewart, Watt, Edwards, Sandland, E. Barnswell and Harbinson.

Thistles—Saunders, Hunt, Underwood, Gibbons, M. Speller, L. Speller, J. Robbins, Fieldhouse, Peers, Macdonald, Fuller, Anderson, Donaghy, Minnis and A. Murray.

Cagers Will Hold Annual Meeting

The annual meeting of the Victoria and District Basketball Association will be held tonight at the Y.M.C.A. at 8. All clubs in good standing are asked to have a delegate present. Election of officers will also take place, and Jack Taylor, president, will occupy the chair.

Double Exposure?



Which is which? Really doesn't matter, but that's Marion Hopkins on the left and her twin, Virginia, Los Angeles' record-breaking swimming sisters.

Boxla Teams Work

Set for Opening

Ironing out some of the 'tween season kinks, Victoria's senior boxla teams came out of hibernation this week to hold their initial practices of the season. Last year's three entries: Alert Service, James Bay and Jokers, have all been out doing some light running, passing and bumping, and it is highly possible that the local Indians will have an entry, and also the army.

About 15 Alert stalwarts took the floor on Monday night, and despite the fact that the box wasn't up, held a snappy work-out. However, Alert's first team will have quite a few new faces protruding above the shoulder pads this year. Last year's veterans: Buzz Brown, George Langdon, Henry Cochran and Bill MacDonald have placed themselves on the retired list, and goalie Ernie Gawley has been called up for four months of military training. Coach Harry Sargison has some young blood on hand to take the place of Brown and company, but is wondering where good goalkeepers hide themselves. Louis McCorkall, a last year's junior, is available, and it is hoped to use him between the pipes.

Nick Vermer, a member of last season's Nanaimo Cal-Aces, turned out and looks a sure bet. A former Jokers star, Andy Ovcharik, was also there, displaying good form, as was Johnny Bamford, who played junior last year, and who looks to have the stuff for successful graduation into the big boys' class. Carl Ovcharik has been named team captain for the season, his all-around ability making him a logical choice.

BAYS LOOK STRONG

The powerful James Bay squad hasn't been sleeping during the winter. Manager Ted Menzies has secured the services of Hump Payne, Groff Murdoch, Harry Barber, Bus Anderson, Bill Gornell, Jack Skellern and Don Christian to augment last year's championship team. He expects these acquisitions to offset the loss of brothers Art and Chuck Chapman, who have retired; Norm Baker, one of the aggregation's most prolific scorers, who will miss at least three months of warring because of a couple of badly bumped kidneys; and Ralph Clarke, who is out of the city with the air force.

This team will deviate from its traditional color of orange and blue this year and will don blue and white sweaters and socks. Alerts will retain their patriotic red, white and blue outfits. Menzies, who has played and coached more lacrosse in his day than most men now in the game, is expecting great things this season of aggressive Bob Wallace. Although not saying it in these words, the Bay boss intimated that his solid young forward would be breezing shots into the opposing nets at such a clip that goalkeepers would be finishing each game with an advanced case of pneumonia.

JOKERS READY

Jokers, who have also retained their colors of black and white, don't intend to sit in the coal bin this year. Most of last year's players have signified their intention to battle for the same outfit this coming semester, many of these turning out for practice on Wednesday evening. One certain new addition is Sam Andrews, who performed for the Knights of Pythias' team on the mainland last year. If his performance represents an insight into the type of play of the mainland juniors, local seniors are going to have to keep more than a weather eye open. Roy Woolsey, who was handling the practice, said he had a couple of other threats available, and that he expected Lynn Patrick and Porky Andrews would be back for action before the season was very old.

Blind Bowlers to Seek Western Title

Tomorrow morning at the Olympic Alleys at 10, blind tenpin bowlers of Victoria will compete for the Rowland challenge cup, representing the championship of western Canada. Bowlers from Winnipeg, Calgary, Edmonton and Vancouver will participate. Games will be played simultaneously in the various cities, and the team making the highest score for three games will be awarded the trophy, which is at present held by the Vancouver team.

BILL DALE LAID UP WITH INJURY

PULLMAN, Wash. (AP)—Pat Haley, the Trail, B.C., speedster, aptly called the "one-man track team" as a freshman, will make his varsity outdoor track debut for Washington State College tomorrow in an annual meet with Idaho. Coach Jack Weiershauser said he would enter Haley in the 100-yard dash, the 220-yard low hurdles and, perhaps, the 220-yard dash. In an indoor appearance earlier this year, Haley broke two meet dash records.

The coach said Capt. Bill Dale of Victoria, B.C., Pacific coast half-mile king, would be out of the meet with a muscle injury.

Cardinals, Giants Baseball Surprises

Score Third Successive Victories

A few weeks ago some of the baseball experts proclaimed that if the St. Louis Cardinals jumped off to a fast start they would run away with the National League race.

Well, the Red Birds are away like a rocket.

They have won three consecutive games from the world champion Cincinnati Reds and there is no telling where or when they will stop.

Yesterday the Cardinals came out on top by a 7 to 6 margin.

When the Cardinals came up to the seventh trailing 4 to 1, they solved the problem simply enough by having jarrin' Johnny Mize hit a home run with two on and Ernie Koy another with the bases empty.

Brooklyn's unpredictable Dodgers also absorbed their third straight lacing from New York Giants 7 to 5.

Pittsburgh Pirates plastered a 7 to 2 count on Chicago Cubs behind the two-hill hurling of Truett (Rip) Sewell, who could have coasted after Vince DiMaggio hit a home run with the bases loaded in the first inning.

Boston Bees bumped off the Phillies 7 to 5 with a heavy home run attack. Max West, Babe Dahlgren, the ex-Yankee, and relief pitcher Wes Ferrell, hit homers.

Al Smith, southpaw castoff of the National League, shut out the Chicago White Sox 2 to 0 for the Cleveland Indians. Smith allowed but six hits.

New York Yankees got a 9 to 4 victory over the Philadelphia Athletics that was cheering mostly because Lefty Gomez went the route for the first time in more than a year.

COAST LEAGUE

The Portland Beavers have demonstrated this week that they can hit, but for the third consecutive time last night they found the bats of the Hollywood Stars were just a bit more effective and dropped another Coast League game 8 to 4.

The league standing remained practically unchanged as the leaders, the Sacramento Solons, and the second-place Seattle Rainiers lost their games.

The Rainiers' rookie southpaw, young Tex Goldman, was chased to the showers by the Oakland Aarns, who scored their first victory of the series 6 to 1. Dewey Soriano, who relieved him in the fifth, held the Oaks to one hit and a single run in the remainder of the contest.

Seattle lost the services of Les

Webber for what club officials said would be about six weeks. The right-hand hurler submitted to an emergency appendectomy at an Oakland hospital.

Los Angeles' 6 to 5 victory over the Solons gave them a 2 to 1 lead in the series. The Angels scored four runs in the fourth inning, a triple by Holm cleaning the bases.

The San Francisco Seals defeated San Diego Padres 6 to 5 by pounding three pitchers for 15 safe blows.

Scores follow:

NATIONAL LEAGUE

	R. H. E.
New York	7 12 2
Brooklyn	5 14 2
Batteries—Hadley, Dean, Melton, Brown and Danning; Davis, Wicker, Mungo and Owen, Phelps.	
Pittsburgh	7 10 2
Chicago	2 2 3
Batteries—Sewell and Lopez; V. Olsen, Erickson, Page and McCullough.	
Boston	7 11 1
Philadelphia	5 12 3
Batteries—Sullivan, Strincevich, Ferrell and Masi, Berres, Warren.	

AMERICAN LEAGUE

	R. H. E.
Philadelphia	4 7 3
New York	9 12 0
Batteries—Vaughn, R. Johnson and Hayes; Gomez and Rosar.	
Chicago	0 6 2
Cleveland	2 7 0
Batteries—Lee and Tresh; A. Smith and Hemsley.	

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE

	R. H. E.
Rochester	3 7 0
Jersey City	2 6 1
Batteries—C. Doyle and Mueller; Coombs, Lynn and Blaemire.	
Buffalo	11 18 0
Syracuse	1 6 2
Batteries—Hutchinson and Parsons; Kleinhaus, Delacruz and Hartje, Bottarini.	
Toronto	2 4 1
Baltimore	4 6 4
Batteries—Eaves, McLaughlin and Williams; Stromme and Howell.	
Montreal	6 10 0
Newark	7 9 1
Batteries—Lawson, Rambert and Franks; Borowy, Gettel and Padden.	

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION

	R. H. E.
Milwaukee	0 4 0
Indianapolis	3 1 0
(Called at end of eighth, rain and wet grounds.)	
Batteries—Blaeholder, Ma-	

kosky, Marrow and Garbak; Starr and Pasek.	
St. Paul	3 7 0
Columbus	6 8 2
Batteries—Herring, Struss, Sloat and Fernandes; Dickson and Poland.	
Minneapolis	4 8 2
Toledo	6 11 1
Batteries—Kelley, Taucher, Hogsett and Denning; Kamberlin, Wirkkala and Spindel.	
Kansas City	1 4 0
Louisville	3 7 1
Batteries—Wensloff, Candini, Gearhauser and Kerase, Robinson; Butland and Glenn.	

COAST LEAGUE

	R. H. E.
Los Angeles	7 7 3
Sacramento	5 11 0
Batteries—Prim, Coffman and Holm; Hollingsworth, Caplinger, Dobson, French and Wicczorek.	
San Francisco	6 15 2
San Diego	5 10 3
Batteries—Jansen and Ogdrowski; Thomas, Morris, Humphreys and Selkeld.	
Seattle	1 9 2
Oakland	5 9 0
Batteries—Goldman, Soriano and Campbell; Buxton and W. Krinmond.	
Portland	4 10 1
Hollywood	8 13 1
Batteries—Conger, Harrell and Hawkins, Annunzio; Bittner, Bithorn, Tost and Brenzel.	

ELIZABETH, N.J.—Charles Wright, 190, Newark, stopped Cliff Kusterbeck, 194, New York, (4).

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Hockey Round-up

Scoring Figures

MONTREAL (CP) — The National Hockey League made public its official scoring statistics last night, and Bill Cowley, ace playmaker for Boston Bruins, is the point-getting champion of the 1940-41 N.H.L. season.

The figures credit Cowley with 17 goals and an all-time record of 45 assists for a 62-point total and a clean-cut margin of 18 points over his closest competitors.

Five players ended the season deadlocked for second spot in the scoring standing — Bryan Hextall of New York Rangers, Toronto's Gordie Drillon and Syl Apps, Lynn Patrick, another Ranger star, and Syd Howe of Detroit. Each amassed 44 points.

Neil Colville of Rangers was another two points back, in seventh spot, followed by Eddie Wiseman and Bobby Bauer of Boston with 40 and 39 points, respectively.

A point behind Bauer came Toronto's Sweeney Schriner and Roy Conacher and Milt Schmidt of Boston, giving the Stanley Cup champions five players in the first 12.

Hextall's 26 goals gave him the scoring leadership for the season, with Schriner and Conacher tied for second spot with 24 each. Drillon was fourth with 23. Cowley's margin in the assist department was 17 over Colville, who ended the season with 28, two more than Bill Taylor of Toronto.

Jimmy Orlando, hard-hitting Detroit defenceman, was the league's official bad man, with a total of 99 minutes in the penalty

box during the regular season. Red Goupille of Canadiens was his closest rival with 81 minutes in penalties, while Murph Chamberlain of Canadiens had 75 and Des Smith of Boston 61.

At the same time, the N.H.L. released official play-off scoring statistics, showing Schmidt as the leading point-maker, during the play-off grind that ended in his team winning the Stanley Cup.

Schmidt bagged five goals and six assists for 11 points, three more than his teammate Eddie Wiseman and Detroit's Syd Howe.

Wiseman's six play-off goals gave him leadership in that department, while Schmidt's six assists was tops among the play makers.

In the playoffs, as in the regular season, Jimmy Orlando led the penalty parade, with 31 minutes in nine games.

Statistics follow:

Player	G.	A.	Pts.
Cowley, Boston	17	45	62
Hextall, Rangers	26	18	44
Drillon, Toronto	23	21	44
Apps, Toronto	24	20	44
L. Patrick, Rangers	24	20	44
Howe, Detroit	24	20	44
Wiseman, Boston	16	24	40
Colville, Boston	14	24	38
Schriner, Toronto	24	14	38
Conacher, Boston	24	14	38
Schmidt, Boston	13	25	38
Watson, Rangers	11	25	36
N. Metcalfe, Rangers	14	21	35
Taylor, Toronto	9	26	35
Dumart, Boston	18	15	33
Abel, Detroit	11	22	33
Jackson, Boston	17	16	33
Rangers	16	16	32
Carv, Americans	13	19	32
Blak, Canadians	12	20	32

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Baseball Standings

NATIONAL LEAGUE			
Team	Won	Lost	Pct.
New York	2	0	1.000
St. Louis	2	0	1.000
Boston	2	1	.667
Chicago	1	1	.500
Pittsburgh	1	1	.500
Philadelphia	1	1	.500
Cincinnati	0	3	.000
Brooklyn	0	3	.000

AMERICAN LEAGUE			
Team	Won	Lost	Pct.
Boston	2	0	1.000
St. Louis	2	0	1.000
Philadelphia	2	1	.667
New York	2	1	.667
Chicago	1	2	.333
Detroit	1	2	.333
Washington	0	3	.000

COAST LEAGUE			
Team	Won	Lost	Pct.
Sacramento	2	0	1.000
Seattle	2	0	1.000
San Diego	2	1	.667
Oakland	2	1	.667
Portland	1	2	.333
Los Angeles	1	2	.333
San Francisco	0	3	.000

Albertans Win Soccer Honors

SOMEWHERE IN ENGLAND (CP) — Rugged footballers from Alberta, the 1st Ammunition Company, Royal Canadian Army Service Corps, defeated a Quebec infantry regiment of the 2nd Division 1 to 0 to win the first soccer championship of the Canadian army overseas.

The Ammunition Company previously won the 1st Division title and defeated the best teams in the corps troops, while the infantry outfit cleaned up all opposition in its division and defeated the holding unit winners to enter the finals.

More than 3,000 troops saw Capt. George Weir of Calgary, outside right for the P.C.A.S.C., score in the first half.

Captain of the champions, Pte. Sid Weale of Calgary played an outstanding game at centre half and Pte. Jim Cuthbertson of Calgary and Pte. Bobby Kirk of Edmonton showed sparkling soccer all the way.

Maj.-Gen. Victor Odium, 2nd Division commander, kicked off and presented the challenge trophy, donated by the Montreal Soccer League, to the winners.

Van Vliet Signs With Capitanos

VANCOUVER (CP) — Owner-manager Bob Brown of the Vancouver Capitanos of the Western International Baseball League announced yesterday that he has signed Maury Van Vliet, physical director of the University of British Columbia, to play with the club this summer.

Van Vliet, who coached the U.B.C. Thunderbirds basketball team to the provincial and western Canada championships this season, is battling with Joe Lawson and Alf Heddington for the right field position. Brown said Van Vliet would definitely be kept on the line-up after the Caps are "weeded-out" at the end of this week when the club will be cut to 20 players. Later the Caps will be cut still further to 16 players.

Brown said Van Vliet was fast, a good runner and a good hitter, though not terribly powerful at the plate.

Lindsay-Olivera Rematched April 30

VANCOUVER (CP) — A rematch between Tony Olivera of Oakland, Calif., and Kenny Lindsay of Vancouver for the two-state-recognized world bantam-weight boxing crown Lindsay lifted from Olivera by a decision here Tuesday night, will be staged in Oakland, California, April 30.

Decision for the rematch was reached between Lindsay's manager, Arnold Bertram, and Olivera's mentor, Joe Herman, at a conference here at which it also was decided that if Tony should win the title, a third bout between the two would be staged here.

BAER IN BED

SACRAMENTO (AP) — A cracked vertebra the fighter said he received in his recent meeting with Lou Nova put Max Baer to bed today.

Dr. Junius B. Harris, ordering indefinite confinement for the former heavyweight champion, said his condition might prove serious. The injury is at the base of Baer's neck.

Nova won the New York fight by an eighth round technical knockout.

BOXING

PHILADELPHIA — Tommy Forte, Philadelphia, outpointed Johnny Mercelline, Philadelphia, (8) bantamweights.

Grid Game Tomorrow

Revs Meet All-stars

It is whispered around the make-shift Revelers camp, organized two weeks ago for the challenge game tomorrow at Macdonald Park with the junior all-stars, that Coach George Deacon isn't feeling any too happy about his team.

Revs have only 12 regular players available — and have grabbed four outsiders to help strengthen their weakened squad.

"Deac" is a trifle annoyed over not having Don Garrison and George Harknett on the team," is the report that has been received.

Garrison and Harknett played junior ball this season and were eligible for the all-star team. Having played with Revelers last season they were snapped up by the all-star team selectors in double quick time.

Garrison was Deacon's star No. 3 back. Harknett played first-string end. In both positions Revs have had to fill in with players not used to those spots.

Groff Murdoch, backfield man, will play end in place of Harknett and Gornall, No. 5 back, will take the place of Garrison in the No. 3 position.

Harry Barber will play in regular position at quarterback for the Revelers. Tom McKeachie will play No. 2 back and can be placed in the quarterback slot.

Gornall in the No. 3 position can be moved to McKeachie's circle and Hump Payne, an outsider, will be used in the No. 4 position. Brent Murdoch will hold down his regular No. 5 position. Jack Grogan is the only backfield sub Deacon will have.

Now for the line: Bus Anderson will play centre with Burgess Berry and Jim Smith at inside wing positions. Jack Stevens and Captain Dave Jenkins will play middle wings and Bill Thompson and Groff Murdoch at ends. Ian McKeachie and "Red" Baker have been training also to play ends and will most likely see some action.

Brother Paul Whalen, coach of the all-stars, gave his starting line-up this morning as follows: Ends, Keith Monaghan and Ernie Elford; middles, Walt Jenkins and Dave Crockett; insides, John McKay and Pete Pierce; centre, George Monckton; quarterback, Bob Wallace; left half, Don Garrison; right half, Ernie Dyer; flying wing, Ed McKim; fullback, Leon Hall.

Subs for the all-stars will be George Harknett, Joe Kelly, Vic Murdoch, Fontana, Roberts and "Duke" Fish.

CHANGE TIME
Starting time for the game has been changed from 2.30 to 4 and officials in charge announced

JUVENILE SOCCER

In a juvenile soccer knockout cup match played yesterday St. Louis College defeated Maple Leafs 3 to 0. The collegians will meet Gorge Rovers in the final at the Athletic Park tomorrow morning at 10.30.

British Columbia playoffs between Vancouver and Victoria juvenile soccer clubs will probably be played on April 26, with two matches on the mainland and a like number at Heywood Avenue.

Young's Shamrocks, first division champions, and St. Louis College, second division winners, will travel to Vancouver, while the Gorge Aces, third division titleholders, and St. Louis College, fourth division champions, will play at home.

Handicap Tourney At Colwood Club

Annual men's handicap championship will open at the Colwood Golf Club Sunday with the qualifying round. Members intending to compete must arrange own partners and starting times. Post entries will be accepted.

today a band will be in attendance. Officials for the game will be Fred Shields, referee; Harry Zaruk, judge of play, and Jim Skellern, head linesman.

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Nabob Special Marmalade, orange, lemon and grapefruit, 4-lb. tin, 39c	Nabob Pineapple, crushed and sliced, tin, 12c	Lynn Valley Peaches, 2 tins 25c
Australian Apricots, large tin 24c	Murray's Apple and Strawberry Jam, 4-lb. tin, 38c	Gordon Head Loganberries, very nice; 2 tall tins for 25c

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Country Kist Golden Bantam Corn, tin, 10c	Cloveleaf Herring in tomato sauce, oval tin, 9c	Dr. Jackson's Roman Meal, Bekus or Lishus, pkt., 31c
Nature's Best Whole Kernel Corn, tin, 10c	Heinz Specials	Shredded Wheat Biscuits, per pkt., 10c

Orchard Grove Cut Green Beans, 3 tins, 25c	3 for 25c	2 medium bars Ivory, 15c
Lynn Valley Peas, 3 tins, 27c	3 for 25c	2 cakes Camay, all kinds, 10c
		2 bars P. & G., 9c
		2 small Chipso, 20c
		2 small Oxydol, 20c

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FRESH ROASTED COFFEE, per lb., 35c	2 bars P. & G., 9c
RICH FAMILY TEA, lb., 69c	2 small Chipso, 20c
BREAKFAST BLEND TEA, per lb., 59c	2 small Oxydol, 20c
DIAMOND "S" COFFEE, 1-lb. tin, 47c	

Libby's Cooked Spaghetti, 3 tins for 25c	Box Tops and Labels from above assortment will enable you to get, absolutely free, one Flour Sifter.
Polk's Orange Juice, large 50-oz. tins, 39c	
Libby's Orange Juice, 13-oz. tin, 14c	
Glen Rae Grapefruit Juice, 15-oz. tins, 3 for 25c	

Crosse & Blackwell's Grapefruit Juice, unsweetened, 20-oz. tin 11c	
Libby's Grapefruit Juice, 20-oz. tin, 12c	
Kelo Apple Juice, 12-oz. tin, 10c	
Orchard City Apple Juice, 48-oz. tin, 23c	
Welch's Grape Juice—plnt bottle, 29c	
quart bottle, 55c	

Libby's Specials	Libby's Specials
Tomato Juice, 10-oz. tin, 5c	Tomato Juice, 10-oz. tin, 5c
20-oz. tins, 3 for 25c	20-oz. tins, 3 for 25c
26-oz. tin, 10c	26-oz. tin, 10c
Baby Food, all kinds, 2 tins for 15c	Baby Food, all kinds, 2 tins for 15c
Tomato Soup, 4 tins, 27c	Tomato Soup, 4 tins, 27c
Vegetable Soup, 2 tins, 15c	Vegetable Soup, 2 tins, 15c
Assorted Pickles, 12-oz. jar 20c	Assorted Pickles, 12-oz. jar 20c

Woodbury's Facial Soap, 4 cakes for 24c	Reckitt's Blue, 2 pkts. for 9c
Wonder Soap Flakes, 3-lb. bag 25c	S.O.S., large pkt., 19c
Palmolive Soap, 2 cakes for 9c	Rinso, large pkt., 23c
Rinso, large pkt., 23c	Royal Crown Soap, 2 bars for 9c
Lifebuoy Soap, bar, 6c	Classic Laundry Soap, 3 bars 10c

Little John Quick Oats, 6-lb. cotton sack, 29c	Cow Brand Baking Soda, 1-lb. pkt., 10c
Canada Corn Starch, pkt., 10c	Kellogg's Corn Flakes, 8 oz., 3 pkts. for 23c and 1 Glass Tumbler Free.
Jameson's Tea, 1-lb. pkt., 67c	Jameson's Coffee, 1-lb. pkt., 48c
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25 pbs., 25 pbs. each...	\$2.50

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\$300 FINE FOR SELLING BEER

Hans Eric Blade was fined \$300 in City Police Court today by Magistrate C. Hall when he pleaded guilty to a charge of unlawfully selling beer. Accused, a first offender, did not appear in court.

Sergt. James Peterson told the court that, in company with Sergt. Roy Woolsey and four constables, he raided the premises occupied by Blade at 1802 Belmont Avenue at 11 on the night of April 11.

A large quantity of liquor was found on the premises. Many empty bottles were also found. The fine was paid in three \$100 bills.

The liquor was ordered confiscated.

Capt. E. Philpott will be the guest speaker tomorrow evening at the regular meeting of Victoria Council, U.C.T.

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Queenie BATH-ROOM SETS...	1.49
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Parent-Teacher Convention

Want Minors Barred From Liquor, Tobacco

A resolution urging the government to enforce the present act regarding supplying tobacco and alcoholic beverages to minors was unanimously passed at the 19th annual convention of the British Columbia Parent-Teacher Federation which closed today.

Embodied in the resolution was a recommendation that co-operation be sought from the Metropolitan Health Committee and the Greater Vancouver Health League as to what possible action could be taken by the Parent-Teacher Federation with regard to the matter.

BIBLE READING

A resolution was passed to bring to the attention of all members of the Parent-Teacher movement in British Columbia the desirability of regular Bible reading in the homes both for its literary value and its guidance in character building.

Appreciation was expressed of the efforts of the Minister of Education and others with regard to starting Bible reading in the schools.

It was passed also that the present teaching of traffic rules be extended by teaching safety regulations in general in the course of study in the schools.

The convention formally closed at noon after three days of discussions and meetings on problems confronting the Parent-Teacher movement and the pre-

paration of today's child for tomorrow's citizen.

VISIT OLD SCHOOL

Although the convention closed, it was announced by the president, Mrs. J. P. Leeming, Duncan, that an outing to Craigflower School, the oldest remaining school in British Columbia and the scene of the organization of the first Parent-Teacher Association in Canada, had been arranged for delegates this afternoon.

This morning's session opened at 8 with a discussion on "Program Planning," conducted by Mrs. E. H. Dalgleish and Mrs. F. T. Spence of Vancouver.

Invocation was given at 9:15 by Rev. Hugh A. McLeod, pastor of First United Church.

Certificates were awarded seven Victoria women who passed a leadership correspondence course conducted by the federation. They were Mrs. R. H. MacInnes, Mrs. H. A. Beckwith, Mrs. D. Cantell, Mrs. M. W. Dawson, Mrs. W. Palliser, Mrs. H. Cunningham and Mrs. G. W. Pottinger.

A report on the home economics committee of the federation stated it was still the hope of members for a home economics degree course at the University of British Columbia.

SMILEY BURNETTE BREAKFASTS HERE

Smiley Burnette, frog-voiced comedy star and Gene Autry's sidekick in western musicals, was in the city today long enough to sign a few autographs.

He made himself known by his cowboy gear this morning as he paraded into the dining-room of the Empress Hotel for breakfast. He didn't register at the hotel; said he was going to take the boat to Seattle.

He said Gene Autry himself was somewhere in Washington and might possibly pay a visit to Victoria.

Smiley, rollicking No. 1 western comedian and famous as Frog Millhouse of Autry's pictures, crossed the pond after making a personal appearance at Vancouver during the presentation of "Back in the Saddle."

OBITUARY

MCGREGOR — Mrs. Julia McGregor, 74, wife of the late Peter McGregor, well-known merchant and mining man of Kaslo, is dead.

KYDD — Harry Kydd, 60, hardware and plumbing dealer in Vancouver for nearly 35 years, will be buried there Saturday. Mr. Kydd, president of Kydd Bros. Ltd., died Thursday.

SEYMOUR — Joseph B. Seymour, 49, former city alderman and resident of Calgary for 30 years, died there last night. Since 1929 he had been manager of a Calgary grain and feed company.

IRVING — Canon E. V. Bird conducted the funeral service for John Bell Irving in Haywards, B.C. Funeral Chapel yesterday afternoon. Pallbearers were: G. H. Slater, F. G. Eaton, F. F. Elston, Sergt. W. McKay, R.C.O.C.; J. M. Gibson and Thomas Brigen.

CHEEKE — Lieut. Oswald Marcus Cheeke, D.S.O., R.N., Fleet Air Arm, only son of Major and Mrs. Arthur Cheeke, England, died on active service on March 5, according to word just received in the city. He was 26 years of age, and at one time resided here.

HURVED — Funeral service for Lewis Hurved was held yesterday afternoon in San's Mortuary, Rev. O. L. Jull officiating. The remains were laid at rest in Colwood Burial Park. The following acted as pallbearers: F. Harris, G. Darley, F. Taylor, H. Bussey, W. Weeks and F. Armstrong.

GRAHAM — Ernest Nelson of Vancouver conducted last rites at Haywards B.C. Funeral Chapel yesterday for Miss Vera Graham. Interment was at Colwood, pallbearers being R. E. Graham, J. B. Graham, David Graham, Chester Wilson, Earl Lundy and N. Graham.

BAILEY — Funeral service was held yesterday afternoon in McCall Bros' Funeral Chapel for John Percival Bailey, Canon N. E. Smith conducted the service. Interment was at Royal Oak, with the following as pallbearers: C. Crockett, G. Millin, R. Hater, A. L. Marchant, P. W. Mason and S. P. Tucker.

BASSO — Nicholas Basso, a native son of Victoria, of 2823 Rock Bay Avenue, died yesterday, aged 74 years. The remains are resting in Sands Mortuary, from where the cortege will leave on Monday morning at 8:50, proceed to St. Andrew's Cathedral, where high mass will be sung at 9. Interment at Ross Bay.

ATKINSON — Thomas John Atkinson, 152 Ladysmith Street, died yesterday, aged 76 years. He was born in England and had been a resident of this city for 17 years. Funeral service will be held at Sands Mortuary on Tuesday afternoon at 3:30. R. McDonald of the Gospel Hall officiating. Interment at Colwood.

GALLEY — The funeral of Frederick Galley was held yesterday afternoon from Haywards B.C. Funeral Chapel, Rev. George Biddle officiating. Interment was at Ross Bay Cemetery, with the following as pallbearers: E. S. H. Tye, W. E. Adams, Alex. Maclean, E. Estridge, G. S. Estridge and Charles Lockwood.

UNDERWOOD — Thomas Alfred Underwood, 3146 Somerset Avenue, died suddenly yesterday, aged 52 years. He was born in Somerset, England, and had been a resident here for three years. The funeral will be held from Sands Mortuary Chapel tomorrow afternoon at 2:30. Rev. James Hood officiating. Interment at Royal Oak.

Man Beaten, Robbed; Try to Fire House

After brutally beating Sidney Jory, 744 Caledonia Avenue, into unconsciousness last night, three men ransacked the house and then made an unsuccessful attempt to burn it.

When he recovered Jory found himself alone and telephoned the police.

He told the officers he answered a knock to the backdoor around midnight and was immediately hit on the left temple. He was then kicked in the face and knocked out. Before losing his senses, however, he recognized his attackers as two civilians and a soldier.

While Jory was unconscious cash totalling \$55, a 17-jewel yellow gold pocket watch, a quantity of liquor and foodstuffs were stolen.

Before leaving, evidence showed, the men gathered some paper in a pile in the bedroom and set fire to it, apparently to burn the house down.

Mr. Jory today had two bad looking eyes from the kick in the face he received.

Detectives Maurice Wilkinson and Fearon Woodburn and Sergt. Roy Woolsey and Constable Harry Mercer attended in response to Jory's phone call.

Victoria's 'Big Ben' 50 Years Old Today



Counts time as city changes.



Winding the clock is real man's job for Ernie Bridges.

Its northern face has been frozen stiff by the most severe of Victoria's winter winds, but the City Hall clock ticks on—50 years old today.

Generations have come and gone. Debates on matter related to two world wars have echoed in the council chamber beneath it, civic policies have been drawn up and changed, brilliant ideas and promotions have turned out to be white elephants, prosperity has come and gone and come again, and the old clock just ticks on.

It is wound twice a week and, except when the mechanism of the face freezes or minor repairs are required, it ticks right along.

The bell tolls the hours and half hours from 8 in the morning until 10:30 at night, when a mechanical device stops the chime to avoid disturbing a city at rest.

"It's been going 50 years and it will go another 50," says Ernie Bridges, whose duties include winding the equipment. "It's one of the hardest jobs in the City Hall," he declared. The winding is done with a winch handle and leaves the operator puffing.

Expects Victoria To Pass 100,000

After the war Victoria would become the Portsmouth of the Pacific coast of Canada, the city's population would pass the 100,000 mark and it would see the construction of beautiful homes, Frank Giolma said in addressing the Victoria Real Estate Board today. The speaker said that this island city would again witness, but even to a greater extent, the prosperous days prior to 1905 when the British fleet was stationed here.

Victoria is becoming a mecca for eastern Canadians, 50 to 60 families a month arriving to take up permanent residence, Mr. Giolma said. The war and the consequent foreign exchange regulations which barred these people from their regular winter trips to Florida had been, in a great measure, responsible for this influx. Eastern advertising and travel agencies had spent \$10,000 recently in advertising the Pacific coast. Mr. Giolma said, the majority of the benefit going to Greater Victoria.

One of Victoria's large problems, he said, was to dispel rumors that taxes here were higher than in other Canadian cities. In mentioning that this was not the case, the speaker gave figures showing that in other Canadian cities comparative figures ranged alongside a Victoria property tax of \$100 showed that the tax in some cities amounted from 50 to 300 per cent more.

G. S. Leckie received a permit for a \$3,000 five-room home at 21 Oswego Street from the city building inspector's department today.

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TOWN TOPICS

North Saanich A.R.P. committee will meet on Monday at 8 at the Farmers' Pavilion, Experimental Station, East Saanich Road. A first aid course will be started.

Contracts totalling \$1,416,050 have been awarded by the Dominion government in Victoria since March 26. It was announced this morning by Alderman Archie Wills, chairman of the industrial and trade committee of the City Council. This information was received by him from Ottawa.

Mrs. Irene Baird was the speaker at the final meeting of the Sidney McIn's Supper Group on Wednesday. She spoke on "Good Neighboring Comes of Age," tracing the various ways in which English-speaking democracies, especially Great Britain, United States and Canada, had been drawn together.

Delegates from various parts of the island will assemble in the Canadian Legion Hall, 715 View Street, this evening to hear an address by Dr. Thomas Payne, Roanoke, Virginia, Imperial Prince of the Dramatic Order of the Knights of Khorassan. An entertaining program will supplement the address of Dr. Payne.

Minor injuries were suffered by Mrs. Annie Mills, 186 Olive Street, at 4:25 yesterday afternoon when she was struck at Douglas and Broughton Streets

by an automobile in charge of James Petticrew, Headquarters, V.I., the city police reported. She was taken to St. Joseph's Hospital by the driver.

A sedan stolen from Wilson & Cabeldu Limited yesterday was found abandoned on Caledonia Avenue by city police. A J. Campbell, Craigflower Auto Court, reported to police a 10-foot flat-bottomed rowboat was stolen from the court Wednesday night.

Minor traffic fines in Saanich Police Court yesterday totaled \$50. Two motorists were fined \$10 each for going over 15 miles an hour through school zones, two others the same for driving over the speed limit and two \$3 for not halting at stop signs.

Cluster lights were broken last night by two motorists who collided with lamp standards. Police reported Arthur F. Waile, Langford P.O., collided with a standard on Government Street, near Fisgard Street. Ross Henneson, 1149 Talmie Avenue, collided with another at Hillside Avenue and Douglas Street.

In City Police Court today motorists committing minor traffic offences were assessed a total of \$30. One motorist was fined \$5 for not obeying an automatic light signal, one the same for not stopping at a stop sign, another \$5 for not making a hand signal. Six were fined \$2.50 each for parking violations.

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Gordon Head, close to bus living-room with open fireplace, kitchen, pantry, modern bath, one bedroom downstairs. Upstairs cedar lined, suitable for two additional rooms. Basement full clean, well-kept home. A real buy. **TERMS \$1950**

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TENDER FOR SUPPLY AND INSTALL-ation of WARM AIR HANGAR HEATING SYSTEMS, NO. 11 TORPEDO TRAINING SCHOOL, PATRICIA BAY, B.C.

SEALED TENDERS, enclosed in envelope marked "Tender No. 19-P-5-Warm Air Hangar Heating Systems, No. 11 Torpedo Training School, Patricia Bay, B.C., and addressed to the Secretary, Department of Munitions and Supply, Ottawa, Ontario, will be received until 5:00 p.m. (E.D.S.T.), April 30th, 1941.

Tenders will not be considered unless made on the forms supplied by the Department, and in accordance with the conditions set forth therein. These forms, together with the plans and specifications and form of contract, are on exhibition at the offices of the Department of Munitions and Supply, Ottawa, Ontario, and at the offices of the Officer Commanding, Western Air Command, R.C.A.F., Belmont House, Government Street, Victoria, B.C., at which offices plans and specifications may be obtained upon the deposit of \$25.00 in the form of a certified cheque, made payable to the Receiver General of Canada. This deposit will be returned when the plans and specifications are returned in good condition.

Each tender must be accompanied by a certified cheque for ten per cent (10%) of the amount of the tender. The cheque or bonds of the successful tenderer will be forfeited should he decline to enter into a contract for the work, or should he fail after accepting the contract to complete same in accordance with the plans and specifications.

The Department does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

G. K. SHIELDS, Deputy Minister, Department of Munitions and Supply, Ottawa, April 14, 1941.

TENDERS

FOR THETIS LAKE CONCESSION

Sealed tenders will be received by the Purchasing Agent, City Hall, Victoria, B.C., up to 12 o'clock noon on Monday, April 28, 1941, for the exclusive privilege of selling during a term of not more than five years, fishing tackle, food, confectionery and refreshments and to keep boats for hire, except speedboats and gasoline motorboats, for the accommodation of the public over the Corporation's watered lands situated at Thetis Lake. Specifications may be obtained at the Purchasing Department.

Each tender must be accompanied by a certified cheque for \$50.00, made payable to the City Treasurer. The highest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted.

G. M. IRWIN, City Water Commissioner, City Hall, Victoria, B.C., April 17, 1941.

CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF VICTORIA

TENDERS FOR CLOTHING AND FIRE HOSE FOR FIRE DEPT.

Sealed tenders will be received by the undersigned up until noon on Monday, April 28, 1941, for supplying the following to the City Fire Department:

1. Chief's Uniform with two pairs Pants, 146 pairs Uniform Pants.

75 Uniform Caps.

152 Uniform Shirts.

350 ft. 2 1/2-in. H.D. R.L. Fire Hose.

700 ft. 1 1/2-in. H.D. R.L. Fire Hose.

Specifications of uniform and pants may be obtained from the City Purchasing Department. Particulars of other items may be obtained from the Chief of the Fire Department.

A certified deposit cheque for 5% of the amount of tender, made payable to the City Treasurer, must accompany each tender.

The lowest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted.

E. S. MICHELL, City Purchasing Agent, City Hall, Victoria, B.C., April 17, 1941.

IF YOU'RE A BUTCHER, A BAKER, A candle-maker, a dry cleaner or other kind of merchant, you can profit by advertising in the Times Classified Advertisements.

More U.S. Bombers For Britain Planned

WASHINGTON (AP) - A new major expansion of the United States' aircraft industry to meet an urgent British need for heavy bombers was reported today to be under consideration by officials in charge of the lease-lend program.

Three or four additional plants to turn out long-range bombers—the backbone of aerial striking power—were described authoritatively as projected. The Boeing Aircraft Company of Seattle was said to be in line to receive a contract for one of them.

An initial move toward increasing the output of such plants was made earlier in the week when the war department awarded a \$24,275,033 contract to the Glenn L. Martin Company of Baltimore for construction of additional facilities, principally for production of heavy bombers.

There was no immediate indication of the productive capacity of the contemplated new plants, but some sources said the output would be determined on the basis of needs arising under the lease-lend program.

Military experts long have conceded that Britain has a pressing need for heavy bombers to enable her airmen to reach distant land targets as well as to combat German attacks on shipping far at sea. William Knudsen, defence production chief, told Congress recently that with 2,000 such aircraft now "we could fix things up over there."

Sooke A.R.P.

SOOKE - A meeting of the Sooke Civilian Protection Committee was held Wednesday at the home of G. E. Ashton. A. F. Brown was chairman. Representatives of the following A.R.P. branches were present: Dr. J. De Rochie, warden service; Dr. J. Brown, first aid and casualty clearing station; Mr. Elliott, British Columbia Electric Railway



Believe it or not, but the man in that repair man's outfit is none other than usually dignified Judge Hardy, as enacted by Lewis Stone in "Andy Hardy's Private Secretary," newest of the joyous Hardy Family pictures, which opens today on the Capitol screen. Mickey Rooney, as Andy, will wipe that smile off his face when the Judge tells him he has just banged up Andy's precious jalopy.

'LONG VOYAGE HOME,' SHOWING

John Ford's Argosy production of "The Long Voyage Home," based on Eugene O'Neill's thrilling sea plays, comes to life on the screen as one of the most powerful and stirring big pictures of the current season. Vividly directed by Ford himself, "The Long Voyage Home" tops even such previous Ford hits as "The Hurricane," "Stagecoach" and "The Grapes of Wrath," because of its intensely dramatic story told in terms of unsurpassed action, colorful romance and thrill-packed realism.

Filmed with John Wayne, Thomas Mitchell, Ian Hunter and a brilliant supporting cast, this new Ford picture utilizes the limitless scope of the screen in dramatizing the real spirit of O'Neill's saga of the sea and the exciting personalities who share its romance and mystery. "The Long Voyage Home," now on view at the Dominion Theatre, is entertainment plus - because great performances and great direction enhance a great story.

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LATEST IN ANDY HARDY SERIES

"Andy Hardy's Private Secretary," acclaimed by critics as the best of the Hardy Family series, comes to the Capitol Theatre today.

This picture marks an important milestone in the hectic life of Andrew Hardy, for in it he graduates from high school.

Mickey Rooney has a feminine foil new to the screen; Kathryn Grayson, 17-year-old coloratura soprano. Her vocal offerings include "Voices of Spring," "The Mad Scene" from the opera Lucia Di Lammermoor, and the Cole Porter hit, "I've Got My Eyes on You."

Lewis Stone, Fay Holden, Sara Haden and Ann Rutherford play their usual parts, and Ian Hunter and Gene Reynolds have been added to the cast.

ATLAS THEATRE

New and exciting experiences are coming thick and fast for Hedy Lamarr these days, but she thinks one of the most thrilling was recording a song for her first appearance as a singer. The song was "We Are Free" and Miss Lamarr sang it in the prison scene of "Comrade X," hilarious comedy starring her with Clark Gable, and now at the Atlas Theatre.

CADET THEATRE

A film which will appeal to the whole family and is a sure cure for the blues is at the Cadet Theatre today.

It is the eagerly awaited George Formby picture, "Let George Do It," which eclipses all his previous successes.

RIO THEATRE

Victor Jory enacts the role of a double-dealing desperado in Zane Grey's "Knights of the Range," which Paramount brings to the screen of the Rio Theatre today. Russell Hayden, Jean Parker and other prominent players are in the cast.

OAK BAY THEATRE

Robert Taylor and Norma Shearer bring to life the unforgettable hero and heroine of the powerful Ethel Vance best-seller, "Escape," at Oak Bay Theatre. Conrad Veidt and Nazimova top the distinguished supporting cast.

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Yachting to Start

R.V.Y.C. Season to Open Here May 10

White winged sailboats will soon be scudding along in Cadboro Bay waters with the inauguration of the 1941 racing season of the Royal Victoria Yacht Club next month.

The yacht racing season will open May 10 next.

Although some 40 of the best young men of the club have answered the call of the services in the Empire's hour of crisis, the Royal Victoria Yacht Club intends to carry on.

The club has a wartime job to do, it is pointed out in an article devoted to the club's aspirations in the "1941 Annual," which has just been issued. This article, touching on the fine work the club has done in the past, is devoted to the club's aspirations in the "1941 Annual," which has just been issued.

These lectures covered many subjects, including gunnery, torpedo work and mines with coastal navigation forming the chief course.

Special efforts are being made to foster as a permanent feature the club's educational program. The club is extending itself to give its members practical training afloat. Another wartime job to do, it is pointed out in an article devoted to the club's aspirations in the "1941 Annual," which has just been issued.

SEASON'S PROGRAM

The club annual, prepared by secretary Fred Lawrence and W. H. Golby, chairman of the entertainment committee, announces the following racing and cruising fixtures for the season:

May 10—First series of A races, all classes; May 11, picnic to Chatham Island; May 17, second of A series races, no C class; May 18, Navy Day, all classes; May 24-25, commodore's cruise to Saanichton Spit, motorboat race for the Brentwood Cup; May 31, non-boat owner's race, all classes; June 1, first of B series races for George Broom, Johnson and Ashe cups; June 7, second C-class

cruiser race for M. Young trophy; June 8, Virtue Cup race, auxiliary cruisers, class C; June 14, second B and third C class cruisers; June 15, Navy Day; June 21-22, fleet captain's cruise to Chatham Island; June 28, third of A series races; June 29, fourth of C class races; July 1, water sports day; July 5-6, fourth of A series races, overnight race; July 12-13, vice-commodore's cruise; July 19, third of B series races; July 20, fifth of C class cruiser races; July 26, first of A series races; July 27, first Discovery Island race for Discovery Island, Chatham and Barnes cups.

August 2, fourth of B series races; August 3, second Discovery Island race; August 9-10, open regatta; August 16, fifth of B series races; August 17, third Discovery Island race; August 23-24, rear commodore's cruise, Lane Cup race for motorboats; August 30-31 and September 1, Labor Day regatta at Cowichan Bay; September 6, ladies' races; September 7, crew's races; September 13, veterans' day; September 14, Navy day and clun "At Home"; September 20, sail-off day; September 21, sixth of C class series races; September 27, fishing derby; October 4, prize-giving and dance.

Boeing Clipper Is Launched

SEATTLE (AP)—The second of six new 71-passenger Boeing clippers was launched late last night and was being prepared for its initial test flight today.

First of the six ships was delivered two weeks ago, and company officials said that on an accelerated schedule, they hoped to have all six planes ready at intervals of a month or less.

MIDDLE EAST SEA RATES REVISED

LONDON (CP)—Marine war risk insurance rates were revised yesterday for shipping between the Americas and the Middle East.

The rate between the Americas and Alexandria, Port Said and Suez was set at 7 1/2 per cent; that between Red Sea ports and the Americas was decreased from 7 1/2 to 5 per cent, and the rate for voyages between the Americas and Haifa, Palestine, raised from 7 1/2 to 10 per cent.

The revisions were the second to be announced this week. Previously the rate on local eastern Mediterranean voyages, excluding Greek ports, was raised from 3 to 5 per cent, that on voyages to or from Greece from 5 to 10 per cent and on sailings between India and Haifa from 5 to 7 1/2 per cent.

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Strikers Go Back to Work

HALIFAX (CP)—J. S. McCulloch, assistant to the chief conciliator of the Federal Department of Labor, announced today that 350 striking employees of the Halifax Shipyards Limited went back to work this morning pending adjustment of their wage dispute with the management.

Mr. McCulloch conferred with the men last night shortly after arriving from Ottawa with a statement quoting the Dominion Labor Minister, Hon. N. A. McLarty, as saying the two-day walkout was "illegal."

Their return allowed the big plant to function again. The dispute started when 32 rivet heaters struck Tuesday claiming they were underpaid in comparison with other workers in the port. Other men joined the strike in sympathy.

6 R.C.N. Men Died On H.M.S. Bonaventure

OTTAWA (CP)—The Royal Canadian Navy, in its 31st casualty list of the war, today reported the deaths of five men killed in action, and the death of a sixth from wounds received in action.

All were serving in H.M.S. Bonaventure which the Admiralty recently announced was lost while on convoy work.

Today's report brought the list of dead and missing reported by the Canadian navy since war started to 327.

Following is the latest list of casualties:
Killed in action:
Paymaster Sub-Lieut. Donald A. Eden, R.C.N., New Westminster.

Sub-Lieut. Donald H. Robb, R.C.N.V.R., Toronto.
O.S. Charles M. McGuire, R.C.N.V.R., London, Ont.
O.S. Theodore E. Rising, R.C.N.V.R., Toronto.
O.S. Conn D. Templeton, R.C.N.V.R., North Vancouver.

Died of wounds received in action:
O.S. Sidney R. Watson, R.C.N.V.R., Port Credit, Ont.

The navy statement said Paymaster Sub-Lieut. Eden was completing his training in the Royal Navy before returning to Canada to take up his duties with the R.C.N.

Sub-Lieut. Robb was one of the navy's specialists. He was one of a group of physicians who enrolled in the R.C.N.V.R. for service with the Royal Navy, and went to England in May, 1940.

The four ordinary seamen went to England during the early part of 1940 for service with the Royal Navy for the duration of the war and for special training for commissioned rank.

"These four ratings were completing their seafaring prior to going to the officers' training establishment in Sussex," the navy said.

New Tea Manager

The company will establish a 25-ton gold mill on its Bucaan property in the Bedford River area of Vancouver Island.

Mr. Joramela said that narrow veins of high-grade ore have been discovered in that area and while the mine will be small, ore is indicated to promise return of cost of development and equipment.

Total production revenue for 1940 was \$2,818,782, from the milling of 191,412 tons of ore, highest on record, and compares with \$3,767,372 the year previous.

Ore reserves are estimated at 815,000 tons averaging 49 ounces per ton. This represents an increase of 105,000 tons and a grade higher by .005 ounce over the 1939 estimate.

After cost of shipping, producing and delivery, and community welfare services, a gross profit of \$2,572,376 was left. Deductions for administration, office and general expense, depletion and depreciation and \$689,215 for income taxes, left a net profit of \$1,883,161.

The report of Summit King Mine, subsidiary of Boralme in Nevada, showed a net profit of \$57,523 after taxes, depreciation and depletion. A total of 20,344 tons of ore were milled from which \$178,377 was recovered in gold and \$205,205 in silver.

Ore reserves at the Summit King increased from 44,800 tons averaging 2.05 ounces of gold and 13.95 ounces silver per ton, to 57,500 tons averaging 3 ounce gold and 14.0 ounces silver.

GOLDS TURN HEAVY

TORONTO (CP)—Gold shares turned heavy in the final period today on Toronto Stock Exchange and posted a moderate index loss, while other groups registered little net change.

Consumers Gas was off a point to a new low at 127, and point losses appeared for Bell Telephone, Fanny Farmer and Moore Corporation. A 3 Senior oils and utilities were lower.

Decline in golds put Kerr-Addison, East Malaric, Sylvanite, Little Long Lac, Preston and Wright-Hargreaves behind minus signs with losses of 5 to 10 cents.

Noranda and Nickel weakened 3/4 to 1 cent and Steep Rock slipped back a few cents.

In western oils, Home came out at 1.65, unchanged.

(By A. E. Ames & Co.)	Bid	Asked
Bell Telephone	124 1/2	125
B.A. Oil	126 1/2	127
Power A	127 1/2	128
Burlington Steel	23 1/2	24
Can. Car and Foundry	20 1/2	21
Canadian Pacific Railway	21 1/2	22
Consolidated Imp. Mills	21 1/2	22
Dom. Steel and Coal	21 1/2	22
Dom. Steel and Coal B	21 1/2	22
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Boralme to Put Mill on Island

Net profit of Boralme Gold Mines in 1940 totaled \$1,589,098, compared with \$1,898,738 in 1939, but the decline was due to substantial increase in income taxes paid by the company, according to the annual report issued today by President Austin C. Taylor.

Mr. Taylor, consulting engineer, said that production was greater and revenue from bullion and concentrates showed a considerable increase.

The company will establish a 25-ton gold mill on its Bucaan property in the Bedford River area of Vancouver Island.

Mr. Joramela said that narrow veins of high-grade ore have been discovered in that area and while the mine will be small, ore is indicated to promise return of cost of development and equipment.

Total production revenue for 1940 was \$2,818,782, from the milling of 191,412 tons of ore, highest on record, and compares with \$3,767,372 the year previous.

Ore reserves are estimated at 815,000 tons averaging 49 ounces per ton. This represents an increase of 105,000 tons and a grade higher by .005 ounce over the 1939 estimate.

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New York Stocks

NEW YORK (AP)—A more bearish turn to the war news helped weaken stocks in today's market and leading industrials dropped one to more than two points, some to new 1941 lows.

Transfers were around 500,000 shares.

Touching new bottoms for the year were U.S. Steel, Bethlehem, Youngstown Sheet, General Motors, Chrysler, Westinghouse, Consolidated Edison, N.Y. Central, Montgomery Ward, International Harvester, American Smelting and United Aircraft.

Prominent losers included American Telephone, Santa Fe, Great Northern, Du Pont, Allied Chemical, Eastman Kodak, Douglas Aircraft, Johns Manville and Philip Morris.

General inactivity prevailed among Canadian issues. Canadian Pacific and Lake Shore Mines and, among bonds, Canada 4s rested, unchanged.

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Bonds

NEW YORK (AP)—U.S. government bonds showed renewed strength today, adding 1/4 to more than 1/2 a point to Thursday's sharp gains.

German issues showed fresh strength in the foreign group.

(By Burn & Wainwright Ltd.)

Australia 4 1/2% 1958.....48 50
Canada 4% 1951.....35 36
Canada 4% 1954.....35 36
Canada 4% 1957.....35 36
Canada 4% 1960.....35 36
Canada 4% 1963.....35 36
Canada 4% 1966.....35 36
Canada 4% 1969.....35 36
Canada 4% 1972.....35 36
Canada 4% 1975.....35 36
Canada 4% 1978.....35 36
Canada 4% 1981.....35 36
Canada 4% 1984.....35 36
Canada 4% 1987.....35 36
Canada 4% 1990.....35 36
Canada 4% 1993.....35 36
Canada 4% 1996.....35 36
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OUR BOARDING HOUSE, with Major Hoople



OUT OUR WAY

By Williams



Uncle Ray

Bible Students Seek To Locate Garden Of Eden

Odd stories are told by people in various countries. If you went to Iraq, you might get with a guide who would point out a certain tree beside a river.

"That old tree," the guide might say, "has no leaves but it is extremely interesting. It is the Tree of Knowledge of Good and Evil which is spoken of in the Bible. This is the region where Adam and Eve once lived, and that is all there is left of the tree. It dates back more than 6,000 years."



Tree which Iraq guides say dates back to the Garden of Eden.

Perhaps there are persons who have looked with open mouths at that ruin of a tree. Yet there is no proof that it has anything like the age of 6,000 years. There is nothing but a legend to make one think it might be "the Tree of the Knowledge of Good and Evil."

Speaking of the Garden of Eden, it is interesting to know that efforts to locate it have been made in modern times. Some who have studied the problem have decided it must have been Babylonia.

The Bible speaks of a river which flowed through the Garden of Eden. The river, we are told, parted into four heads. One of the headstream rivers is described as the Euphrates. Another was named as the Hiddekel, but is supposed to have been the same as the Tigris.

An ancient name for a part of present-day Iraq is known to have been "Edin." That might be another form of the name "Eden."

Others have said it was a mistake that Iraq (or ancient Babylonia) could have been the place where the Garden of Eden existed. They say that one river flowed through the "land of Cush" and that Cush probably was the same as Ethiopia.

Still others have given reasons why they believe the Garden of Eden was in Armenia, or near Damascus, or near the state of Kashmir in northern India.

Even though Bible students do not agree about the place of the Garden of Eden, most of them seem to favor a spot in or near ancient Babylonia.

Beside the Tigris river, close to the town of Kurna, Iraq, is a place where the "Garden of Eden" is shown to tourists. In it grow palm trees, and space is used for vegetable gardens. Scores of houses have been built there.

HOROSCOPE

Saturday, April 19

Adverse aspects are strongly dominant under this planetary government.

Women should pursue tasks to which they are accustomed while this configuration prevails. All the household arts will be revived, and again knitting and weaving will engage attention. Need of clothing for war victims will result in a movement to supply wardrobes carefully assembled for special cases.

Erasure of party lines will be advocated as war clouds cast larger shadows upon the Western Hemisphere. Unity of purpose will be apparent next summer as legislators have cause for speedy action. Leaders young and old will develop in all parts of the country. In civilian life there will be the most unselfish service.

The stars presage a period of extraordinary conflict in which the Nazis will resort to every horrible device known to them, but there is to be a quick reaction and ultimate victory for Britain.

Persons whose birthdate it is may have annoyance and losses in the coming year. Treachery is indicated in certain financial agencies, but there will be eventual gain and much happiness.

Children born on this day probably will be highstrung and talented. They should be fortunate if they adhere to conservative ideas.

Beneficial to Mankind

By destroying many injurious insects, ladybird beetles are of great benefit to humanity, but few persons recognize this beetle in the larval stage, in which it does its greatest service.

THIS CURIOUS WORLD

By William Ferguson



ANSWER: It keeps its legs covered with a film of oil that prevents sticking. It is not true that certain strands of the web are snare-proof, and on these alone does the spider set its feet.

Dorothy Dix's Letter Box

DEAR DOROTHY DIX—Do you think an aged woman is justified in leaving a small piece of property, which is all she has, to a son and daughter-in-law who have taken care of her for more than 15 years and who have been kind and good to her? There are several other children who have contributed in no way to the welfare of their old mother, but who are already making trouble about the little that she will leave behind her when she dies. What are your views on this subject?

AN OBSERVER.

ANSWER: I think the mother should in common justice leave the bit of property to the son and daughter-in-law who have taken care of her. It will be small repayment for all they have done for her.

I do not think that there is anything sadder nor more disillusioning in life than that so many children are so greedy and grasping that they will cheat their mothers out of any little bit of money they may have if they can, and that they quarrel over what pittance she may leave behind her even before she dies.

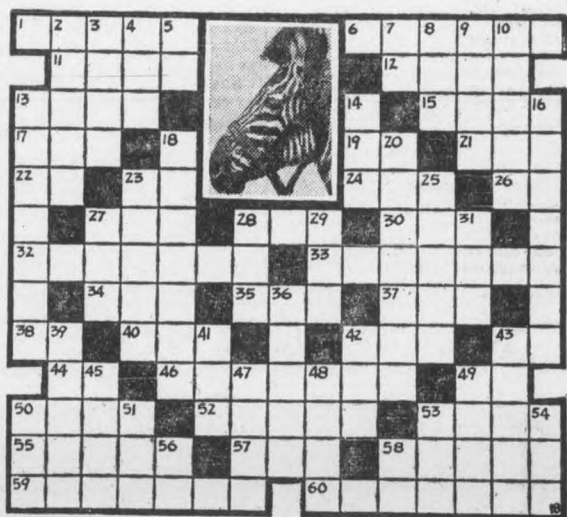
But we have all seen this happen only too often. We have seen children honey over mother until they got her to deed her property to them, and then turn her out of her own house.

And we have seen neglectful and ungrateful children, who had not been to see mother or even written to her, flock like vultures about her sickbed when she came to die, hardly able to wait until the breath was out of her body before they fought over her little savings.

Mothers are not always grateful to their children. Sometimes they love best the ones who do least for them, and give them the most; but it isn't fair. It is the sons and daughters who have cared for mother, who have been patient with her whims and tender and loving to her who should be rewarded.

DOROTHY DIX.

Today's Crossword Puzzle



- HORIZONTAL**
- 1 Pictured equine animal.
 - 6 It is — to the horse and ass.
 - 11 Crucifix.
 - 12 Officer's assistant.
 - 13 Drive.
 - 15 Fairy.
 - 17 Expert flier.
 - 19 Natural power.
 - 21 Iniquity.
 - 22 Parent.
 - 23 Musical sound.
 - 24 Size of coal.
 - 26 Sound of inquiry.
 - 27 Ever (contr.).
 - 28 Genus of grasses.
 - 30 Distinctive theory.
 - 32 To debase.
 - 33 To submit.
 - 34 Chisel.
 - 35 Aeriform fuel.
 - 37 Small child.
 - 38 Year (abbr.).
 - 40 Commanded.
- VERTICAL**
- 2 Genus of evergreen shrubs.
 - 3 To augur.
 - 4 Fish eggs.
 - 5 Advertisement.
 - 7 Note in scale.
 - 8 Crater edge.
 - 9 Part of Roman month.
 - 10 Weir.
 - 13 This animal is — becoming extinct.
 - 14 Policeman.
 - 16 It — or lives on.
 - 18 Marched formally.
 - 20 Proving directly.
 - 23 Brutal.
 - 25 Cravat.
 - 27 Breakfast food.
 - 28 Wooden pin.
 - 29 Equine beast.
 - 31 Mongrel dog.
 - 32 Conscious.
 - 39 To respond to a stimulus.
 - 41 Indigo.
 - 42 Cover.
 - 43 Asiatic palm.
 - 45 To verify.
 - 47 Scolds.
 - 48 Goal marker.
 - 49 Good form.
 - 50 Right of precedence.
 - 51 Silk from a worm.
 - 53 Three.
 - 54 Small skin tumor.
 - 56 Bills payable (abbr.).
 - 58 Transposed (abbr.).
- Answer to Previous Puzzle**
- ALFONSO DONJUAN
ORDAIN AVERSE
DRI TRELLIS ERA
LA DATE O STY OS
A PLY DOASE NAVE
YAU GAMIN NAVE
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ON BOB B PAW AD
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ADDED REDAN
PARENT

Boots and Her Buddies



Wash Tubbs



Mr. and Mrs.



Alley Oop



Freckles and His Friends



Bringing Up Father



By Arthur Folwell and Ellison Hoover



By V. T. Hamlin



By Merrill Blosser



By George McManus



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Certificate Sales Pass \$6,000,000

Sales of Dominion of Canada noninterest-bearing certificates for March totaled \$353,652, bringing aggregate sales to date of the two series to \$6,224,528, the Bank of Canada announced today on behalf of the Department of Finance.

The noninterest-bearing certificates are divided in two series; series A, proceeds of which are required to prosecution of the war, and series B, where the proceeds are to be used for relief of suffering.

Total sales of series B certificates have reached \$112,530, with \$79,214 of that amount subscribed in March. Sales of series A amounted to \$274,437 in March, bringing the total for that issue to \$6,111,997. There were 195 subscriptions to this issue during the month, and of these, 62 were from individuals who had made previous purchases of the issue.

The largest single subscription received during March was that of the Ottawa Light, Heat and Power Co. Ltd., for \$100,000.

British Columbia purchasers include: F. A. Baker, Koksilah, \$1,000; Mrs. Lily Bate, Vancouver, \$80; George G. Butler, Vancouver, \$25; Max Creemer, Vancouver, \$500; Dominic Elio, Prince Rupert, \$50; Margaret Craig, Vancouver, \$300; Mrs. Lottie M. Hackwood, Nanaimo, \$80; Elias Heald, Vancouver, \$1,000; Island Mountain Mines, Vancouver, \$50,000; Harris Levine, Prince Rupert, \$500; Elizabeth S. Martin, Milnes Landing, \$50; Robert W. Martin, Milnes Landing, \$50; Mrs. Mary Mitchell, Fernie, \$78; Ralph G. Powell, West Vancouver, \$40; Ethel H. Robertson, Fanny Bay, \$40; Count Adolph P. Van Richten, Chilliwack, \$400.

B.C. Vegetable Seed Shipped to Britain

"Sufficient vegetable seed has been sent from British Columbia to Great Britain during the last year to produce 250,000 tons of vegetables for the British people," Ernest MacGinnis, market commissioner and secretary of the B.C. Agricultural Committee, told the Rotary Club yesterday. His subject was "The Value of Seed Production to the Province of B.C."

The speaker said that the B.C. Agricultural Production Committee was set up in December 1939 for the prime purpose, among others, to help fill the food and agricultural needs of Great Britain and other parts of the Empire. It has been doing this job in connection with livestock, seeds, herbs and bulbs.

Mr. MacGinnis gave special attention to the value of the flax industry to Canada. With the choice continental flax having been overrun in the last few months the Canadian flax industry has taken a terrific forward impetus. He said that Canadian flax is now being grown for Ireland and that there is a great demand for flax from all parts of the old country. In 20 years of experiment at the Dominion Experimental Station at Agassiz the flax developed is equal to the finest Belgian product. It is of particular significance, he said, that an average of \$500,000 per year is spent by B.C. fishermen on flaxen nets and lines.

RETAIN GRID TEAM

Should the unanimous decision reached last night by the V.H.S. Alumni executive be ratified by the members at the next general meeting of the association, the Alumni football team, runners-up for the city championship this season, will return to the gridiron again next year in an attempt to regain their lost laurels.

President Jack Vajo, in the chair, announced that the present clubrooms at 1110 Broad Street, would be vacated on or before May 12 in favor of a larger hall.

DELEGATES GIVEN PARTY BY LOCALS

Out-of-town delegates to the 19th annual British Columbia Parent-Teacher Federation were treated to an excellent program and an informal dance by Victoria members in the lower ballroom of the Crystal Garden last night.

Mrs. G. W. Pottinger acted as mistress of ceremonies. Alderman P. E. George, president of the Victoria and District Council of the Parent-Teacher Federation, opened the program with a few remarks of welcome to the visitors.

The program featured a 40-minute presentation of scenes from "The Rivals," by a talented group of local actors and actresses, directed by H. S. Hurn.

The dramatization was produced by Mrs. Edith Gibson, who played the leading role of Mrs. Malaprop. Vaughan Barker took the part of Sir Anthony Absolute, and Miss Catherine Craig the part of Lydia. Norman Tyrell was Capt. Absolute; Mrs. A. W. Des Brisay, Lucy, and Miss Mary Bartlett, Julia.

John Bra, baritone, gave several solos, accompanied by Mrs. Harold Groves and Miss Hope Denbigh was loudly applauded for her Lancashire monologues. Miss Craig and Mr. Tyrell gave vocal duets.

The committee in charge of the program was composed of Mrs. G. W. Pottinger, chairman; Mrs. G. W. Pottinger, Mrs. W. Palliser, Mrs. H. J. Cunningham and Mrs. D. B. Cantell.

Duncan Joins in Salute to Britain

DUNCAN—In line with the English-speaking world, Duncan will join next week in a "Salute to Britain." It revolves around St. George's Day, April 23, and has been planned as a gesture of appreciation for the way Britain is standing as a bulwark against despotism.

A proclamation by Mayor E. W. Lee invites the people of Duncan to participate in displaying flags and decorations, especially on St. George's Day itself. As planned by a committee headed by Alderman James Greig, Duncan's participation will fall under three heads:

Special services in all churches on Sunday; a St. George's Day assembly of school pupils in the gymnasium Wednesday afternoon; patriotic and other organizations will be represented and there will be a short program and address; service clubs and other organizations meeting during the week will have St. George's Day programs.

Warns 10% Premium Must Be Paid

With the 1941 tourist season getting under way, E. G. Rowbottom, deputy minister of trade and industry, today issued friendly advice to merchants and all operators of business and services to observe strictly the foreign exchange board rule that the standard 10 per cent premium must be given on U.S. currency tendered for payment.

Mr. Rowbottom said he had no definite complaints that this is not being done, although there have been reports that some small businesses prefer not to handle American money in small bills, because of the formalities required in collecting the exchange. The deputy minister drew attention to the fact that it was an offence against the exchange regulations not to give the 10 per cent premium.

"And if the premium is not paid it is deliberate undercutting of our efforts to bring tourist trade here and secure the exchange with which Canada can pay for war materials in the United States," he said. "We have made a big feature in our tourist advertising this year that the 'tenth day is free' for Americans. I think it is a national duty of all those serving our visitors to cooperate."

Odd Will
An eastern bachelor willed all of his property to the three women who had rejected his proposals, with the words, "to them I owe all my earthly happiness."

Duncan Woman Named P.T.A. President for B.C.

Election of officers of the British Columbia Parent-Teacher Federation took place yesterday at the 19th annual convention in the Empress Hotel, which resulted in the re-election of Mrs. J. P. Leeming, Duncan, as president; Mrs. Kenneth G. Kern, Vancouver, first vice-president, and Mrs. F. C. Crook, New Westminster, second vice-president.

Elected by acclamation were: Mrs. E. Evans, Burnaby, to the office of recording secretary; Mrs. C. G. McCall, Vancouver, corresponding secretary, and Mrs. A. J. McLennan, Vancouver, treasurer.

Mrs. R. Cormack, Burnaby, was elected third vice-president; Dr. W. W. Bell, Oak Bay, fourth vice-president; Mrs. M. W. Dawson, Saanich, fifth vice-president, and Mrs. R. W. Hagen, Rossland, sixth vice-president.

GOODWILL MESSAGES
Messages of goodwill were received at the convention yesterday from Parent-Teacher organizations in Vermont, Utah, Louisiana, Kansas, South Dakota, Indiana, Hawaii, Connecticut, New York, Colorado, New Jersey and Arizona.

PLANT PRESERVATION
Mrs. Hugh McKenzie, president of the Society for the Preservation of Flowers and Plants of British Columbia made a plea to the afternoon meeting for support in her organization's work. "We wish to encourage the educators to take a greater interest in the problems of flower and plant conservation," Mrs. McKenzie said.

SYMPOSIUM
A symposium titled "The Ram-Parts We Watch," dealing with the home, school, community and church, and conducted by Dr. V. L. Denton, principal of the Provincial Normal School here, was the main item on the afternoon program.

Six speakers each gave 10-minute addresses. Miss Elizabeth Lawson, dietitian at the Jubilee Hospital, spoke on "The Nutrition Front"; Dr. George Davidson, head of the provincial government social welfare service, "Social Welfare Aspects of Home Life"; Albert Sullivan, inspector of high schools for the province, "Safeguarding Our Schools"; Mrs. M. D. Wilkinson, Tacoma, vice-president of the National Congress of Parents and Teachers, "Better Community Standards"; Dr. G. F. Amyot, head of the B.C. Department of Health, "Community Health"; and Rev. A. E. Whitehouse, pastor of Metropolitan United Church, "The Family and Spiritual Training."

NUTRITION
Miss Lawson said the first nutrition workers attempted to correct malnutrition. Today a preventive program was in operation. Malnutrition followed the 1914-18 Great War in large numbers of cases and it was apt to become widespread again, what with the rationing of food and the increased taxes which limited budgets.

If people thought more about their diets they could still purchase foods essential for a good physique, Miss Lawson said, and suggested the following list: Milk, butter, cheese, green and yellow vegetables, fresh fruits, fatty fish like salmon, and liver.

SOCIAL WELFARE
Social welfare services had been built up because in a highly-organized community they were necessary to impress upon families the importance of accepting certain responsibilities, said Dr. Davidson.

The government had district welfare visitors throughout the province except in the Peace River territory. "We hope to have the work in operation in the Peace River this summer," he said.

SCHOOLS
Mr. Sullivan described the one-room rural teacher today as a most important builder of the educational system.

The teacher should take part in community life. He did so in the small towns but in the larger cities the teacher was not regarded as being important in this respect.

Mr. Sullivan praised the teachers of B.C. and said: "The young people today are looking for serious leadership and our part is to give them that."

COMMUNITY
"Undesirable community conditions can be stamped out through education," said Mrs. Wilkinson. "We must raise a generation of young people so interested in constructive and wholesome things they would have no time for patronizing taverns, buying cheap literature, gambling and the like," the Tacoma visitor said.

HEALTH
With the country at war, more than ever should people guard



MRS. J. P. LEEMING, President of P.T.A. Federation.

against the invisible foes—diseases—which were ready to strike at a moment's notice, said Dr. Amyot.

Increased demands for safeguarding health were being made. "If we let our standards slip we will pay doubly," the provincial health officer said.

CHURCH
Dr. Whitehouse made a plea for spiritual idealism in the home and school.

"There is not a problem which besets humanity today that cannot be solved in the light of the child," the minister said.

P.T. F. Convention

Says War Effort Not as Speedy

Canada's present war effort was not as speedy or as effective as that of the 1914-18 conflict, said Capt. Elmore Philpott in an address to a convention luncheon of the British Columbia Parent-Teacher Federation in the Empress Hotel yesterday.

"Every man and woman should be given the opportunity to serve either in the armed services or in essential industries," the Times columnist said. His statements drew loud applause from the audience of 200 members of the Parent-Teacher movement from all parts of the province.

The speaker dealt at length on the necessity of establishment of a new world order after the war was over.

"The old world order must go," Capt. Philpott said. "The world must have law and order in the international sphere the same as within the boundaries of countries."

"A world government has to begin to come into existence either along the lines of Stalin's or Hitler's beliefs or through the extension of the democratic system," the speaker said.

Speaking directly on the war, Capt. Philpott predicted that Hitler had to win this summer or he would not win at all.

RACE AGAINST TIME
Hitler was throwing everything he had into the battle. He was staging a race against time. The race against time had to be run also by the British Commonwealth and the British Commonwealth had to win.

The war was a fight between land power and sea power. Hitler had the land power and Great Britain and the United States the sea power.

"Land power always had the upper hand in the early stages of conflicts with sea power but while we're in a tough spot now, the time will come when all around Hitler's land might will descend scores of little expeditionary forces which will win," Capt. Philpott said.

"We will emerge victorious," the speaker said. "We will emerge badly battered but our heads will be unbowed."

Mrs. T. A. Barnard, Nanaimo, acted as chairman. Miss Dorothy Parsons gave vocal solos.

AMPUTATIONS DINNER
The Victoria branch of the War Amputations of Canada annual dinner will be held at Spencer's on Saturday. More than 80 members of this association are resident in and around Victoria, and it is expected there will be a large turnout of the members and their wives and friends. The musical program is in charge of Sid Chiverril, president of the local branch.

Largest Airport
The British-built airport in Newfoundland is the largest on this side of the Atlantic Ocean. Containing 1,000 acres, the airport has landing areas and approaches covering 350 acres, and paved runways eventually will cover 254 acres.

With the Forces

Major R. Shankland Is New Commandant

SOMEWHERE IN ENGLAND (CP)—New camp commandant at corps headquarters is Major Robert Shankland, a Scot from Winnipeg with a broad Highland brogue. . . . He won the Victoria Cross and the Distinguished Conduct Medal in the last war. . . . He replaces Major Robert Williams of Toronto, winner of a Military Cross in the Norwegian campaign, who went to Canadian military headquarters, London, as camp commandant.

Secretary of the Saskatchewan Teachers' Federation in Saskatoon, John H. Sturdy now is overseas working with Canadian Legion educational services as a civilian. . . . In the first war he won his commission in the field. . . . He taught school for some years at Fort Qu'Appelle, Sask.

Sir Alan Brooke, commander-in-chief of home forces, arrived by air to inspect the Royal Canadian Air Force army co-operation squadron at its English base. . . . This squadron found a neat way to thank its women's association in Toronto for all the comforts and food it sent overseas for the pilots and airmen.

In the squadron newspaper, "Wings Abroad," it published a two-column spread, headlined "Orchids to—" then listed everything received and carried the names of the hard-working executive.

B.C. Man Teaches Soldier-surveys

Major W. A. Richardson of New Westminster, B.C., who runs the survey wing at Petawawa Artillery school, says men who have a flair for mathematics, whose knowledge of trigonometry and logarithms is good, if not all-embracing, make good material for the artillery survey regiment. His class works with transits or plane tables, predictors, range-finders and other instruments of precision. All this is to produce skilled surveyors.

Victoria Soldier Sees England on Cycle

A Victoria soldier who is seeing England is Gnr. Lee Leighton, son of Mr. and Mrs. P. R. Leighton. He has bought a bicycle and is ranging far and wide on it. "War seems to be an ideal time to travel," he comments, "as there is practically no traffic on the roads outside of military convoys, and everywhere we go we are guests of honor of the country. The main drawback is no signs and very few maps."

Anti-aircraft Men Had Rough Crossing

The 62nd Light Anti-aircraft Battery members had a rough crossing to England, according to a letter received by the mother of Capt. A. M. Appleby.

His mother summarizes some of his remarks as follows: "They had a terrible crossing. Their ship was not quite up to the North Atlantic at its worst! Putting out from an eastern port, they ran straight into the middle of a real rip-sawyer of a storm. They lost their wireless before the day was out, and all the loose furniture in the saloon and lounge rolled about until it smashed everything in those rooms."

"Two of the smaller ships were blown away from their course and did not catch up with the main convoy until the next night. They rolled at an angle of 40 1/2 degrees, and as their ship's safety list is only 45 degrees, the men were far from comfortable—or happy! One of the sergeants was thrown about and broke his wrist; another man dislocated his knee, and a sailor broke his collarbone. It was so rough that the doctor was not able to attend to these injuries for several hours, but the men are well and safe now."

"A later letter," says his mother, "complains of prices for luxuries, like tobacco, chocolate and tea. Chocolate bars can only be bought one at a time—when you can get them at all. At many places cigarettes cannot be bought and tobacco is very dear. He asked me to tell the parents and wives to send these little luxuries to their men, for they will be very much appreciated—more than when woolen comforts."

Fingerprint Men In Air Force

Thousands of young Canadians across the Dominion who day in and day out are donning the Air Force blue to battle with the Hun over the skyways of Great Britain or wherever duty calls are being "fingerprinted." It is believed that the day will come when this will be a commonplace for all members of the armed forces. In Ottawa today when a physically fit youth is accepted into the R.C.A.F. he carries away

with him his fingerprints. Another set is retained by the authorities. Two former members of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police, now in the Royal Canadian Air Force, are looking after the procedure. It is all very simple, apparently. No elaborate apparatus is required. Just a pad with a little ink on it.

This idea of "fingerprinting" men who are serving King and country may be considered a radical departure by some. By reasonable souls it will be thought an entirely commonsense move, and the R.C.A.F. are to be congratulated on having initiated it. No more perfect system of identification could be used either in peace or in war.

'We Had Few Scares'

VANCOUVER (CP)—Chief Engineer Room Artillery Richmond Goulden, who served aboard a corvette on convoy duty in the Atlantic, has returned to his home here for the first time since February of last year.

But he had little to say about his experiences in active service. "We had a few scares. We don't know actually how close," he said he was going to spend most of his 24 days' leave right at home with his wife and family.

Recruits for Scots And Veterans' Guard

A large number of men are required for reinforcements to the 1st Battalion, the Canadian Scottish Regiment, which left this station some time ago. They will receive their basic training here as quickly as possible, and will be forwarded right through to the unit. The 1st Battalion, the Canadian Scottish Regiment, is Vancouver Island's main repre-

sentative in the Active Service Forces, and it is particularly desired that men from the island should be enlisted for it.

The Veterans' Guard of Canada is calling for a few more men at the present time for duty in Victoria. Applicants must have served in the Great War of 1914-1918, be physically fit, and must not have passed their 50th year. Applications for enlistment in either of the above units should be made to the recruiting officer, Bay Street Armories, or should be sent by mail to the district recruiting officer, Work Point Barracks.

THE WEATHER

VICTORIA 5 a.m. today—it has been fair and mild in British Columbia. Some severe frosts have occurred in the interior. It has been overcast with light to moderate snow in southern Saskatchewan and Manitoba, but elsewhere in the prairie provinces has been fair with moderate temperatures.

Victoria—Barometer, 30.24; temperature, max. 38, min. 42; wind, 3 miles N.E.; clear. Vancouver—Barometer, 30.26; temperature, max. 48, min. 37; wind, 2 miles E.N.E.; fair.

Prince Rupert—Barometer, 30.25; temperature, max. 55, min. 37; wind, 5 miles N.; clear. San Francisco—Barometer, 30.04; temperature, max. 56, min. 42; wind, 2 miles W.; clear.

	Max.	Min.
Victoria	38	42
Nanaimo	47	34
Vancouver	38	37
New Westminster	44	37
Prince Rupert	55	37
Dawson	48	32
Seattle	60	35
Portland	61	38
San Francisco	66	42
Kamloops	61	31
Prince George	60	24
Edmonton	60	29
Penticton	60	29
Yreka	60	29
Nelson	54	27
Grand Forks	55	29
Kelso	57	29
Calgary	43	18
Edmonton	40	20
Prince Albert	35	18
Regina	37	22
Winnipeg	38	22
Toronto	44	24
Ottawa	49	44
St. John	49	42
Halifax	57	37

Drought in the Sao Paulo area has affected the quantity of Brazil's coffee crop.

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Better English

1. What is wrong with this sentence? "She was wearing an old-fashion coat."
2. What is the correct pronunciation of "intrigue"?
3. Which one of these words is misspelled? Proprietary, propagate, propitiate.
4. What does the word "clarify" mean?
5. What is a word beginning with va that means "an empty space"?

ANSWERS

1. Say, "an old-fashioned coat."
2. Pronounce in-trig, e as in tree, accent last syllable. 3. Propagate. 4. To make clear. (Pronounce the a as in at). "To clarify the proposition, he went over the details carefully." 5. Vacuity.



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